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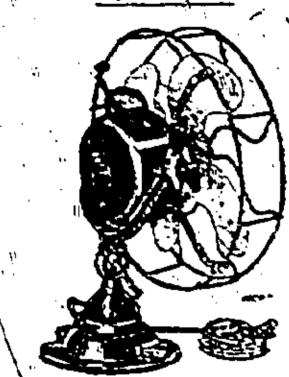
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TLD "SCENES IN DUBLIN.

LONDON, May 25.

It is officially stated in Dublin that a large party of Sinn Feiners this afternoon set fire to the Customs House, one of the finest buildings in the country with petrol. The fire brigade was prevented from proceeding to the scene of the fire and Crown forces attempting to reach the building were fired on. A fight followed of which no details have yet been received Subsequently the fire brigade, protected by Crown forces, proceeded to combat the fire but it is doubtful whether the building can be saved. Another account says that bombs were thrown into the Customs House where there were a number of officials who were fired on. The fate, of these is un-

MILITARY LORRIES BOMBED.

LATER. Liberty Hall, the headquarters of the Irish transport workers was also

burned down,

The Customs House, which cost £1,000,000, was entirely destroyed There were wild scenes. The officials fled from the building. The military, who arrived in lorries were greeted with bombs to which they replied with machine-guns, rifles, and revolvers.

- THE CASUALTIES.

Seven Sinn Feiners were killed, eleven wounded and 65 taken prisoner, and four auxiliaries were wounded in the fight at the Dublin Customs House which was practically destroyed as the result of incen-

A TERRIBLE TOLL

· LONDON, May 25.

In the House of Commons at question time, Sir Hamar Greenwood stated that the casualties of the Crown forces in Ireland from January 1 to April 30 were 109 police killed and 224 wounded, and 48 military killed and 113 wounded. It was impossible to estimate the civilian casualties as the casualties of the rebels were concealed wherever possible.

COAL DEADLOCK

ANOTHER EFFORT TO PIND A SOLUTION.

GOVERNMENT CALLS CONFERENCE.

LONDON, May 25 In the House of Commons at question time, Mr. Austen Chamberlain announced that as there was still no sign of agreement between the parties in the coal dispute, the Government had decided to make another effort to find a solution and summon a conference of the miners and owners on May 27. (Cheers.)

## AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

LONDON, May 25. At Hoylake, in the 5th round, Wright (America) beat Ball (England) 4-3, and Darwin beat Hunter (America) 2-1.

The American-Wright beat the American Fownes 3-2.

NAVAL ARMAMENTS.

AMERICA TO APPROACH BRITAIN AND JAPAN

Washington, May 26.

The Senate unanimously adopted an amendment to the Naval Approtion Bill requesting President Harding to invite Britain and Japan to join United States in a disarmament conference.

AUSTRALIANS PLAY OXFORD

At Oxt ord in glorious weather, before 2,000 fashionable spectators, Oxford made 180 runs. H. Ward made 50, playing splendidly. Mailey took seven wit ckets for 108 runs. The Australians scored rapidly and made 217 for eight ru ins. Macartney made 77, playing brilliantly, Taylor made 49.

NETHERLANDS EAST INDIES.

DUTT H GOVERNMENT RAISES NEW LOAN.

THE HAGUE, May 25. The Second Chan ther has adopted a bill authorising the Government to raise a loan of 250,000 000 florins at 7 per cent for the East Indies.

DAVIS CUP SINGLES.

LONDON, May 25. s Alonzo beat Lowe 86, 61, 86, and Lycett beat Gomar 6-1. 6-3, 7-9, 6-3.\

ALEXANDEIA, May 25 has arrived. Other warships

LONDON, May 25 Hill Country has been scratched for the Derby

THE DOLLAR.

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COMPANY REPORT.

"STAR" FERRY CO. LTD.

The report of the "Star" Ferry Co., Ltd., for presentation to share-holders at the 23rd ordinary annual meeting to be held at the Offices of Messra Jardina Matheson & Co., Ltd., at noon on Wednesday, June 1

1921, is as follows: The nett earnings of the boots paying all working expenses, amountto \$135,634.83 as against \$122,977.13 the previous year.

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Mr. D. G. M. Bernard joined the Board in place of Hon. Mr. John

Johnstone resigned. In accordance with the Articles of Association Hon. Sir C. P. Chater, Kt. C.M.G., retires but being eligible effers himself for re-election.

The accounts have been partly audited by Mr. F. Maitland and partly (in Mr. Maitland's absence) by Mr. C. Bernard Brown, A.C.A. Mr. Maitland offers himself for re-election.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Queen Mary having been born on May 26, 1867, the warships in harbour were dressed to-day and a salute was fired at noon in honour of her birthday.

The manager of the Canton Provincial Bank proposes that additional capital of \$5,000,000 should be subscribed from the general public. As soon as the proposal is approved by the Governor, shares will be Only two Americans, Wright and Hunter, remain in the golf championoffered for sale in the market.

> The Japan Gazette announces the death of an old resident of Yokohama, Mrs. Lydia Abbey, widow of the late Richard Abbey, who passed away at the age of 75. Mrs. Abbey went to Japan some forty-five years ago, and had not been out of the country since."

> Likin is a nuisance and hindrance to trade, says the Canton Times. Besides it affords the likin collector a chance for squezing the people. Complaints about this form of taxation and the officiousness of likin collectors have reached the Governor-who has ordered several special deputies to make a thorough investigation into the reports, with the hope of abolishing corruption.

> Unaware that the ordinary looking clay idol supposed to represent the "Goddess of Mercy" at a certain Temple in Kuan Tien Street, c ntained anything valuable, the doorkeeper of the Temple recently sold it to a passing peddler. After taking it frome the peddler found a chain of dold beads hidden inside, the idol It is reported that the chain is valued at something more than \$1,000.

More pay, shorter hours, better iving quarters and better sanitation are some of the demands presented by the Mechanics Union to the Cantop-Hankow Railway, Canton-Samshiu Railway and the Electric Supply Company. A petition has been presented by the Union containing a threat that unless these demands áre conceded, a general strike will be declared on similar lines to the big labour strikes in Europe and

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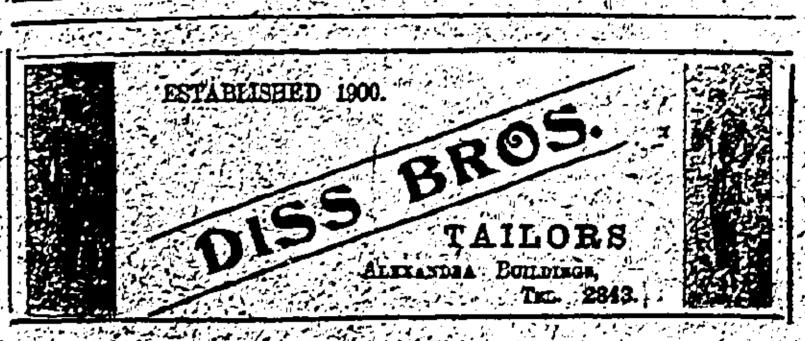
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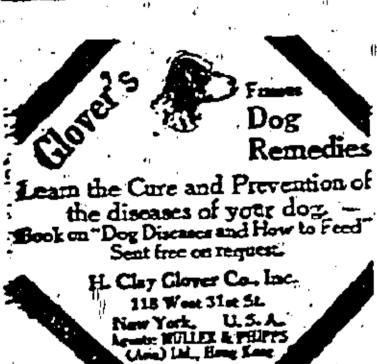
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from Prague, March 31 says :-I have recently visited the occupied territory, old and new, have been to Berlin, thence to Breslau, and have motored many hundred miles through Silesia and along the Polish frontier, speaking to many Germans of all classes, from princes and judges to hailway servants and old soldiers. The impressions derived from such a rapid tour is no doubt inadequate in many respects, but

first impressions of a new state of

things are usually vivid, and I will

down for what they are worth. I found scarcely any English in Germany except those engaged in official business, and I met not one in any train from west to east or from north to south except such people. I have been asked how the Germans behave to us. My experience has been that they are distant, but civil as we are to them. They do not want to talk to us any more than we want to talk to them, except for iournalistic purposes, but they display no symptom discourtesy, and in all

usually civil and obliging.

All who knew Germany and the Germans before the war will find the returning to work, but not with the ownwards, implanted this curious country and the people greatly old zest. Wages have enormously superstition in their minds, and I changed. The country still displays increased, but the price of all materials doubt whether anything can now signs of being worn out. The long and of clothing and food is very root it out. It is hypocrisy to us, drought gives a shabby appearance high. If the miner's wage has gone but not to them. They think that to the land, which still appears short up 600 per cent and coal sells at 200 England's encircling policy caused of fertilising manures. In spite of marks at the pit's mouth, the price the war, and continue to allege that the losses, there is a great want of of materials of all kinds is so high Russia mobilised first. Every new houses, and all the best hotels are | that profits are not on the old scale, and damning fact disclosed is crammed full. The permanent way and often there are no dividends twisted to fit into this exculpatory. of the railways is in not too bad a at all even from promising and thesis and they have told their parrot state, and if trains run slowly and and apparently flourishing concerns, story so often that they have come who appear to be old officers, have strike is not at all an improbable con- coarse caricaturists represent poor, found billets here. I have counted tingency.

Gone are the old jovial, coarse hearti- Germany. ness, all the gold and the glitter and the tinsel of militarism, all the state

and these symptoms should not be over-

booked or disregarded, became serious

and incurable forms of kithey and bladder disorder start with very slight

eyaptoms, and gradually get worse. How are you to recognise kidney and bladder tromble? Just ask yourself the

question, "Have I any of the following symptoms?" Have I a nesty taste in the mouth first thing in the morning,

puliness under the eyes, general feeling of weakness and irritability, aches and pains in various parts of the body?

Have I constitution, cloudy urine, or sharp stabbing or aching pains—a pain as though my back will break.".

These are the sure and certain symptoms

of kidney trouble, and those who suffer

from backscho, shoomstism, gout,

sciatics, gravel, stone, cystitis (inflam-mation of the bladder), or paint in the muscles and joints, are all suffering those pains through weak or diseased

kidneys, for these are positively the symptoms of kidney trouble.

These signs of kidney or bladder

brouble are caused by the prisonous acid in the blood which the kidneys should remove, but they do not, owing to their

The kidneys are the filters of the

the impurities from the blood pass out

heine in a weak state.

Lieut. Colonel Repington writing

is beyond words. The German to become a candidate for the throne aristocracy has never had any trade of Bavaria because he would not but soldiering, and soldiering in the divide Germany. These are travelbroken hearts, and many more have mass of the Right parties do committed suicide. Others have and at other end of the make no excuse for setting them come aware of the fact. War neu- their precautions. rasthenia has made great ravages in One has to go to Germany to dis-Germany, and the nerves of the older cover why the Germans are so perpeople and of those who fought are feetly incorrigible about expressing still on edge. The disastrous effects any sorrow for having caused the of a lost war" to a country whose war. The reason is that they honestmatters of official intercourse are

every side. stop too often, they run with German The wage bill on a middle-sized to believe it firmly themselves. This punctuality and rarely much behind agricultural estate has more than fact has much more than fugitive time. There are a tremendous lot of trebled, but everybody works shorter importance, because it causes them men employed on the railways. hours and does less work and is more to regard the Versailles Treaty as Many old soldiers, as well as others or less discontented besides. A land sheer brutality. Their clever but six or seven men in a train where we We suppose, and it is frequently peasant—with his short jacket and

should have one guard. The rolling- stated, that Germany is less taxed wooden shoes and little cap, as a stock is in poor condition, and the than we are. If one takes the ratio sort of saint an innocent, harmless, carriages are extremely dirty. The of money as 1 to 10 or 12 and ex- unarmed creature exposed daily to food on the trains is quite detestable: presses it in English money values the ragging of the Allied Powers. On the other hand, while the country this appears true, but this is not a It is not quite the role or the dress in generally has the aspect of a ball- fair comparison, for it is not a ques- which Michel appeared to us in 1914. room the morning after a dance, tion of gold marks, but of paper, and and wears a shabby appear- the paper mark buys much more in ance, the great industrial areas, Germany than would appear from such as the Ruhr, Westphalia, the exchange. Some rich Germans and Upper Silesia, in the tell me that they have paid 45 per mining district, are at least busy, even cent, for a capital levy, and are also if the old profits are for the time no paying 50 per cent. income tax. But where the money goes to they profess not to know except that it goes into But the people interested me most, the hands of the men now governing massaging with the palm of the hand.

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These who are inclined to kidney grous to delay. It is no longer news since that time, and I feel I new trouble should be on the look-out for cessary to suffer. Here is the story a complete and wondarful curs to Desymptoms which will prove to them of a man who was cured completely of Witt's Kidney and Bladder Pills and these symptoms should not be over-

solence, aggressiveness, and bombast. | works as -" Betrachtungen einer Upthought the whole people very politischen to understand the depressed, subdued, and sad. One reason. But all assume that before feels that from the dixxy heights of there is a change the present Govern-1914 they not only fell, but crashde. ment will be left to exhaust such They seem very allent, very modraful, small popularity as remains to it by and private lasses have no doubt meeting the Allied demands. The added to the public sorrows. One favourite candidates for the throne rarely sees a smile. Only irrepres- are the ex-Crown Prince's son, who sible youth, which has acarcely is being well brought up by his inknown or understood the war in its telligent and popular mother; and, larger sense, has any radiance at all, secondly, Prince Rupprecht of In the upper classes the dejection Bavaria, who is said to have refused

old sense has gone. The bulk of the lers' tales, perhaps, but no one can aristocracy can turn its hand to doubt that, the Germans wish for a nothing else. Many have died of king; or, at all events, that the almost become doddering, and a scale there are the Communists, at great many former officers and present engaged in a little sabotage officials are in a state of abject in Central Germany. No change is poverty. The war has really proved expected from another Putsch. The too much for everybody. It is the Socialists are watching the potential exception now for a German to be Kapps closely, and will act at once if able to follow out a consecutive chain they move. The question of a of thought or to state the points of his restoration of the monarchical form argument without branching into of government is not quite independsome side track by inadvertence. Even ent of affairs in Austria and Hungary. a workman will often begin a job the The States surrounding or adjacent wrong way, and only gradually be- to these countries have already taken

might was its right are visible on ly-however unreasonably do not believe they did. A long course of The people are very gradually diligent propaganda, from 1914 thin, puny Michel-the German

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leaves gelatine, Lf oz. sugar, lilavouring. Method.-Wix custard milk, and come together. Disarsive the gelatine in a little water, aid suf ar. Whin the cream, atir in the custard w ixture, add gelatine, cool, and stir until it f hows signs of setting, then pour into a moule L and when set turn out.



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Bright's disease the st causes so many death every year. A proper kidney remedy, properly administered, will remove from the system the coisons

which cause all this pain and disc sa

When you buy the pills, he sure they are De Witt's in the red boxes printed in red and gold, with the red was seel on the bottle. Dire them a fair trial, and prove for you self what ratisf they bring. If you would like any further information on this case sand a post-card to the my rece; - R. C. De Witt and Co. The Laboratories, Conydon, Lonfott, England, mentioning this paper. On Witt's Kidney and Bladder Pills and sold by Chemists and Store sepers everywhere to every part of the civilized world. If you have any descrity in obtaining gentine De Witt's Kidner and Bladder Pills with the rod seel on the rock with The Colonial Dispensery, 14, Queen's Road, Central, Agents for South China.

Mr. THOMAS THOMAS, (from Photo).

of the system, if the kidneys are out Mr. Thomas Tromas, of Park Side and promet: a sormal good health

the form of tiny jagged crystals of years I was esten up with rheumatism. Within 24 how re they are shouldly so acid, are held up in the body, My arms and legs swelled so hadly guaranteed to relieve the pain, and a causing those rheumatic twinger in the that I had to hobble out on crutches blue tings in the urine proves to you,

causing those rneumstic twinger in the unat I had to nobble out on crutches bins tings in 7 the urine proves to you, joints and muscles and stabbing prins Sometime I had to crawl up and down for your own I satisfaction, that the in the back. Other ways in which the stairs on hands and kness, the healing prop erties have passed right kidney trouble shows itself are head pain was so terrible. After I had through the a kidneys and bladder kidney trouble shows itself are head pain was so terrible. After I had through the a kidneys and bladder aches, nervous debility, amolien fast, tried many doctors and advertised They hardle, ever fail to effect a perbad breath, coastipation, and westerns remedies, without ancress, I was ad manent cut at

of order, these impurities, which Itake Tredegar, says :- "For four or five and outlook.

THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1921.

# Hughes & Hough

AUGHONEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT AND ADMIRALTY.

Coal Contractors General Brokers. PUBLIC AUCTIONS-



THE Undersigned have received instruc-tions to sell by Public Auction, Subject to Reserve,

SATURDAY, May 28, 1921, at 10.30 a.m., at Royal Army Service Corps Pier. W. D. Vessel "HERCULES" Length - - - S5 feet

Beam - - - 17 , 2 inches. Depth - - - 10 .. 3 ... Displacement Tonnage 170 Tons. Engine - - - Cox's Falmouth. Horse Power - - 350 H. P. Knots 10. Working Pressure per square inch. 150 lbs.

Built at Falmouth. Materials of Construction Wood to water Line Iron Plate.

Approximate Carrying Capacity 25 Tons or 100 Passengers. As she now lies.

A detailed list of fittings to be sold with the ship may be seen at these, offices.

The vessel will be open to inspection from TO-I)AY to the day of sale inclusive between hours of 10% a.m. and | SANG of Hongkong Official No.

on application at the Auctioneers. Ship may not be viewed without

TERMS : - Cash. HUGHES & HOUGH. Auctioneers to the Government. Hongkong, May 20, 1921.

# INTIMATIONS.

### REPULSE BAY HOTEL.

THE Management beg to announce that the WEST WING ENTEN-SION and the new GARAGE will be completed during the month of June.

The Management having received numerous applications for monthly quotations from local residents who are kong, hereby give notice that in not ewners of private ears, have decided to allocate a limited number of rooms for this purpose, and now beg to announce the following inclusive rates:-

double room with private bath, covering attendance, meals (which may be Hotel or at the Hongkong Hotel per month for two persons.

Four (4) persons occupying two her registered in the new name at the double rooms with private baths. covering attendance, meals (which may be taken either at the Repulse Bay Hotel or at the Hongkong Hotel Sundays and Public Holidays) \$450. of this advertisement. per month for two persons.

The difference in rates above of May, 1921. sucted is explained as follows:-The rate of \$500.—is for two persons in one car, and the second quotation of \$450 .covers cases where four persons are prepared to share one car for trans-

No extra charge to residents will be

ments held at the Repulse Bay Hotel. Monthly residents will also entitled to the free use of the individual bathing tents on the beach. For further information apply in

-writing to the undersigned. HONGKONG HOTEL CO.,"LTD. J. H. TAGGART,

Hongkong, May 19, 1921.

Manager.

St. John's Cathedral MONDAY, May 30th, at 9.15 p.m. Vocalist:

Mrs. A.M. Bowes-Smith

Mr. HONDA and Mrs. HONDA 14 years' experience. X No. 24. W rodinam Black.

(Opposite to the China Mail.

## INTIMATIONS

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

and of declaring Dividends, etc.

Br Order of the Board,

Hongkorg, May 5, 1921.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

C. MONTAGUE EDE.

General Manager.

Society will be CLOSED from 14th

Mar to 27th May, both days inclusive:

BRITISH TRADERS INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

IN the 55th ORDINARY YEARLY

MEETING of the Company will be held

at its Head Office, Nos. 3 and 4, Queen's

Buildings, "Hongkong, on FRIDAY,

May 27th, 1921, at 12:30 P.M., for the

purpose of receiving the Report of the

Directors together with the Statements

of Account to 31st December, 1920,

The TRANSFER EOOKS of the

Company will be CLOSED from 14th

May to the 27th May, both days

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

the 52nd URDINARY YEARLY

MEETING of the Company will be

held at its Head Office, Nos. 3 and 4,

Queen's Buildings on FRIDAY, May

27th, 1921, at 12.45 P.M., for the pur-

pose of receiving the Report of the

Director's together with the Statements

of Account to 31st December 1920,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

C. MONTAGUE EDE.

General Manager.

Company will be CLOSED from 14th

May to 27th May, both days inclusive.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

ARY GENERAL MEETING of Share-

holders of the above Company will be

held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, Hong-

kong on TUESDAY, the 31st May,

1921, at NOON, for the purpose of

receiving the Report of the Directors

together with a Statement of Accounts

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

Company will be CLOSED from

WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of May,

to TUESDAY, the 31st day of May,

PEAR TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED,

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Proposal To Change Steamer's Name.

I. H.M. H. NEMAZEE of Hong-

kong, hereby give notice that in con-

sequence of an undertaking to that

effect in the Bill of Sale and for the

sake of uniformity in the names of

the steamers of my fleet I have applied

to the Board of Trade, under Section

47 of The Merchant Shipping Act

1894 in respect of the ship "ALL-

INGA" of Hongkong Official No.

105578 of gross tonnage 2242 tons

permission to change her name to

LORESTAN" and to have her

Any objections to the proposed

change of name must be sent to the

Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong

within seven days from the appearance

Dated at Hongkong this 20th day

(Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE

Japanese Photographers.

Sitting hours from 8 s.m. to 8 p.m.

Pamport photos finished

of this advertisement.

of May, 1921.

General Managers.

1921, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, May 2I, 1921.

for the year ending 30th April, 1921.

that the ANNUAL ORDIN

and of declaring Dividends, etc.

By Order of the Board,

Hongkong May 5, 1921.

C. MONTAGUÉ EDE

General Manager.

and of declaring Dividends, etc.

By Order of the Board.

Hongkong, May 5, 1921.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Proposal To Change Steamer's Name.

I, H. M. H. NEMAZEE of Hongkong, hereby give notice that in consequence of an undertaking to that effect in the Bill of Sale and for the MEETING of the Society will be he Sake of uniformity in the names of at its Head Office, Nos. S and 4, Queen's the steamers of my fleet I have applied | Buildings, Hongkong, on FRIDAY to the Board of Trade, under Section May 27th, 1921, at Noon, for the pur-47 of The Merchant Shipping Act pose of receiving the Report of

1894 in respect of the ship "BURRUM-BEET" of Hongkong Official No. 91.487 of gross tonnage 2420 tons register tonnage 1561 tons heretofore and at present owned by myself for permission to change her name to BALTISTAN and to have her registered in the new name at the port of Hongkong, as owned by myself.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement. Dated at Hongkong this 20th day

of May, 1921. (Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Proposal To Change Steamer's Name.

I. H. M. H. NEMAZEE of Hongkong, hereby give notice that in consequence of an undertaking to that effect in the Bill of Sale and for the sake of uniform in the names of the steamers of my fleet I have applied melusive. to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of The Merchant Shipping Act 1894 in respect of the ship "MAU-72,860 of gross tonnage 2194 tons Permits for inspection will be issued | register tonnage 1673 tons heretofore and at present owned by myself for permission to change her name to THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

> registered in the new name at the port of Hongkong, as owned by my-Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the

MAJARISTAN" and to have her

Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hongkong this 20th day

of May, 1921.

(Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

OFFICIAL NOTICE. Proposal To Change Steamer's Name.

I, H. M. H. NEMAZEE of Hongconsequence of an undertaking to that effect in the Bill of Sale and for the sake of uniformity in the names of the steamers of my fleet I have applied to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of The Merchant Shipping taken either at the Repulse Bay Act 1894 in respect of the ship "INNAMINCKA" of Hongkong Main Dining Room) and transporta- Official No. 89430 of gross tonnage tion, i.e. one trip in and out each day 2474 tons register tonnage 1325 tons during specified hours (excluding heretofore and at present owned by Sundays and Public Holidays) \$500. myself for permission to change her name to "SEISTAN" and to have

port of Hongkong, as owned by my-Any objections to the proposed Main Dining Room) and transporta- change of name must be sent to the tion, i.e. one trip in and out each day Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong

during specified hours (excluding within seven days from the appearance Dated at Hongkong this 20th day

(Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Proposal To Change Steamer's Name. I, H. M. H. NEMAZEE of Hong-

made in connection with the regular Tea and Dinner Dansants or entertain- Kong, hereby give notice that i consequence of an undertaking to that effect in the Bill of Sale and for the sake of uniformity in the names of the steamers of my fleet I have applied to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of The Merchant Shipping Act 1894 in respect of the shirt "RUPARA" of Hongkong Official No. 123662 of gross tonnage 1368 tons register tonrage 791 tons heretofore and at present owned by myself for permission to change her name to 'RIGESTAN" and to have her register tonnage 1406 tons heretofore registered in the new name at the and at present owned by myself for port of Hongkong, as owned by my-Any objections to the proposed registered in the new name at the

change of name must be sent to the port of Hongkong, as owned by my-Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong self. within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement. Dated at Hongkong this 20th day of May, 1921.

(Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

we have THIS DAY appointed CHARLES" E. RICHARDSON our Hongkong Agent. Mr. RICHARD-SUN, will handle all matters pertaining to U. S. Shipping Board vessels operat-PANY, calling at Hongkong H. W. BURCHARD,

Local Manager.

Hongkong, May 23, 1921.

## INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that AR EXTRAORDINARY MEET-ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the IN the 48th ORDINARY YEARLY HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BUXKING CORPORATION will be held at the CITY HALL Hongkong on SATURDAY the 28th day of May, 1921, at NOON, for the purpose of considering and if Directors together with the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1920, resolutions :-

> That the Directors of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation be and they are hereby requested and authorised by and on behalf of the shareholders of the Company to take the steps necessary for the introduction of an Ordinance into the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hongkong and for the enactment of the same by the Governor of Hongkong with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof to effect the amendments necessary to the Ordinances under which the Company is incorporated and carrying on business so as to allow of the capital of the Company being from time to time increased from 20 millions of dollars the present authorised capital of the Company

to 50 millions of dollars. & Shanghai Banking Corporation instalments are due.

tively be the registered Holders, as far as possible up to date.

and that any New Shares not I am certainly not blaming the best in the interests of the Com-

Ist instalment of £35 on the let of July, 1921.

one New Share to every person war. the 1st day of July, 1921, and

subject to such other terms as to approval, date for lodging scrip certificates and otherwise as the Directors may prescribe, to be registered as the owner "of the

cent. per annum be allowed out of the profits of the Company on matalments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that registered holders of Scrip Certificates for New Shares be entitled in respect of such New Shares to participate in future dividends on an equality with the old shares, in proportion to the instalments paid up, and from due dates for payment of same.

such Scrip Certificates.

That interest at the rate of 8 per centum per sunum be charged on each instalment not punctuall paid, and be paid with each such instalment That all moneys received from premium on the said New Shares

be added to the Sterling Reserve BANKING CORPORATION A.G. STEPHEN,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 28, 1921.

THE "STAR" FERRY CO., LTD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TWENTY THIRD ORDINARY AN-NUAL MEETING of this Company will efforts are continuing. Matheson"& Co., Ltd., on WEDNESDAY the 1st June, 1921, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to April 30th, 1921. 1st June, 1921, both Says inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors.

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### THE GERMAN AT HOME.

(Continued from page 2.)

THE FICTION OF DISARMAMENT.

It all matters a good deal, because Germany is not disarmed, will never be disarmed, and will rearm within a year or two up to any scale she wishes directly the Control Com-That the Capital of the Hengkong mission is withdrawn. It is more or less known that she has still some be forthwith increased from 4,500,000 rifles and some 10,000 \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 by the machine guns undelivered. How creation of 40,000 New Shares of 1 many guns she has still no one knows, \$125 each to be issued at the but not one of the Big Berthas has price of £70 on the terms after come to hand. In effectives Germany mentioned. Shareholders on the has met us about the Reichswehr, Eastern Registers to pay for their but one has only to glance at the allotments at the rate of exchange | Sicherheits or Schutzpolizei to refor the Company's demand Bills on cognise in them not only Regular London on the day on which the troops, but troops of the first quality. All these people are N.C.O's, of the 3 That the said New Shares be in the old army and are intended to form first instance, in such manner as the cadres for the future army which the Directors shall prescribe for Germany will raise when she dares. that purpose, offered to share. Her pensions offices are merely the holders in the proportion of one old recruiting offices camouflaged, New Share for every three shares and it is known that the list of the of which on the 28th day of May, I trained men in the country, and 1921, Shareholders shall respect even in the Posen district, are kept

accepted by Share olders within Control Commission. I consider that the time limited by the Directors General Nollet and his Allied for that purpose be disposed of subordinates have effected almost and allotted by the Directors in miracles by collecting such vast such manner and at such price as numbers as 35,000 guns, 3,500,000 That the payment of the sum of permanent value is wholly dependent might be imposed. The Great Crabe.-Hal. ... ... General Staff, abolished by the Treaty, Oattle Fish, -Mak Yu ... ... " is said to exist still, though its officers Dab She Mang Yu ... ... , [36 2nd and final instalment of £35 | are in musti and not shown on official on the lat day of October, lists. I give Germany five years to complete her old military power.

clearly. After our control of her is removed we are not going to stop Germany from becoming great, she wishes. By land, and sea, and means for war. The nations round | Tench,-Wen Tu --her are arming too. Yet, quite imperturbably. Mr. Thomas Atkins, from Cologne to Dusseldorff and from Krenzburg to Beuthen, sends out across the Germanic and Slav worlds his cheerful message, "Pass

ALLIES' EFFORTS PAIL.

The secret of the mechanism of Big Bertha and the three long range daughter of Mrs. Brien Potter, the tention to them at first but they continue guns of that type which the Germans FOR THE HONGEONG & SHANGHAL are known to have possessed has so ever known in divolce proceedings back. It was a steady, dull pain and when I stooped to pick anything up my The peace far eluded discovery. treaty stipulates that these, just as all other German guns, should be surrendered, but up to now the Germans have refused to obey. A grant of 50,000 francs was made by the French Government for research work with a view to discovering the secret but down to the present nothing is known by the Allies apparently as to how these guns were made. The

#### PRODUCE IN HONGKONG.

APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES.

May 21th, 1921.

#### Butcher Meat.

Seef Sirioin - Mel Lung Pa .... Ib. Prime Cut .... Corned,-Ham Ngan Yuk. .. Roast,—Shin ... Breast,-Ngan Nam , ..... 11 Soup,-Tong Yak ... - 11 Steak,-Ngau Yuk Pa .... Sansages, - Ngan Cheung ...

Tongue, fresh,-Ngau Heach 50 Tongue, corned,-Ham Ngan Li such 60 centra Head,-Ngan Tan... each 80

Heart,-Ngan Sam ... 1h. Kidneys,-Ngan Yin ..

tan-kenk ... ... see \$1.00 Almonds, Hang Yan ... Mutton Chop,-Yearng Pal Ewat 1b Log. Years Pel ... ... 33 Shoolder,-Young Shan .. 28 Saddle,-Yeung On Yuk , 33 Pig's Chitlings,-Chu Chong Brains,-Chu No ..... per set

Fry,-Chu Chap .... Head,-Chu Tau ... Pork Chop,-Chu Pal Kwas ... .. 25

Loin,-Chu Han Tun ... 24 Shoop's Head and Feet,-Yeung

Sucking Pigs, to order,-Chu Tsal .. 24

Fish.

Dace,-Wong Mei Lap ... ... , 10 Dog Fish,-Tit To Sha: ... ... ... Zeis, Conger,-Hoi Man . Fresk water,—Tam Shul Yu 28 Yellow -- Wong Sin . Frogs,-Tin Kai... ... Garoupa,-Shek Pan. Godgeon,-Pak Kap Ye ... ... " Herrings,-Tso Pak ... ... ... Hallbot,-Chaung Kwan Kap. ... Labrus -- Wong Fa Yu ... ... , Losch,-Wa Ya... ... ... ...

Lobeters,-Lung Ha ... ... Mackerel -Chi Yu ... ... Monk Fish,-Mong Yu ... ... Mullet,-Text Yu... Oysters Shang Ho ... ... Parrot Fish - Kai Kung Yu ... .. Pike,-Fa Pan Fong ... Pomfret, Black .- Hak Chong ... 12 Pomfret White -- Pak Chong ... 19 PERFOR -- Ming Ha ... ... ...

Pay.-Pai Pa Sha Book Fish -- Shek Kat Kang ... " Rosch.—Ohun Yu .... Salmon.—Ma Yation . Shark.—Sha Yu ... ... State.-Po Yu ... Susper.—Lap Ya ...

Turbot,-Tso Han Yu ... ... Turties, small fresh water,-

# £1,800 A MONTH.

THE STILLMAN DIVORCE CASE.

AWARDED TO WIFE.

£3,100 for expenses of witnesses, 1267 West Second Street, Los Angeles, was allowed by a New York court to Mrs. Stillman, wife of the bankermillionaire, Mr. James Stillman, and says Mr. Benedict. "I paid little asactress. This seems is the highest ed getting werse until I was flat on my in the United States.

covers 15 pages, rendered after the sleep well at night. judge had spent 10 days studying the A newspaper announcement led mo documents. He makes it clear that to try Dr. Williams Fink Pills and he has not considered Mrs. Stillman's hysterical letter, which is alleged the treatment until the pain entirely to be a confession of misconduct with disappeared. I feel stronger and better Beauvais, the half breed Indian. He in every way now and sleep soundly. I has also ruled out 5 letters alleged to have been written by Beauvais I strongly endorse Dr. Williams' Pink to Mrs. Stillman which referred to

only in reference to the application blood and debilitated rerves to all puris then before the court. The letters of the world, therefore their great reputapany will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, IVI always keep on hand a bottle of may still be adduced in the main tion rests on the securest of foundations Judge Morschauser points out that, if rendors e erywhere, also post (ree 1 the cross-charges are substantiated, the whole proceedings will necessarily the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. 'DE

# Poultry.

Chicken - Kai Tsa .... Capone, Small, Sin Kai ... ... ... Capone, Large, -Sin Kai ... ... ... Duck.—An ... ... ... Doves -- Pag Kan ... ... ... Eggs Hen,—Kai Tan (cooking) per dog. 23 Eggs. Hen,—Kai Tan (fresh)...per dos. 25 Fowls, Canton,-Kal... ... Ib. 40 Fowls, Hainan,-Hol Nam Kai , 32 Georg. - Ngo .. ... ... ... ... 24 Pigeons, Canton,-Pak Kap...each 40

Holhow, -Hol Han Pak Kap Turkeys, Occk,-Fo Kal Kung lb. 70 Turkeys, Hen, -Fo Kai Na ... " Snipe, -Sha Tsuis. ... in ... each Phonesant,-Shan Kaleer ... ... ... Quall\_ Om Chan : ...

Partridges,—Che Ku

Apples, (California).—Kam Shan Bananas, (bride's), Macso, -San Houng Chin , . . Carambola,—Young To ... ... ... Coccanuts. -Ye Tse ... ... cach 10 Lemons, China, -Ling Mung ... Ib. 16 Lemons, (America), - Kam Shan Ling Mang ... such S Lai Chi Kon lb. 34

Lichees, Dried, (small stone),-Oranges, (Canton), Sweet-Shan-shang Tim Chang Ib. Oranges, Tim Chang ... ... ... 15 24-

Pears, (Canton), Cooking, -Sha Li ,, 12 Peanuts,-Fa Shang ... ... 12 Persimmons, Large,-Hung Tse ., Plantain,-Tai Chiu ... ... ... Pumelo, Siam,-Trim Lo Yau ...each 14 Walnuts,-Hop To ... ... Ib. 14 Grapes, - Po Tai Taz --- ---

Vegetables, &c. Artichokes. -Ah Chi Cheuk ... such Bears, Sprout,-Nga Tso... ... lb 4 " Long.—Tan Kok ... -

Beet Root,-Hang Tsot Tsu ... 1, 2 cm Bitter Squah,-Fu Kwa ... ... ,, Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yon Kwa .. 5 Red,--Hung Kee... ... \*\* Cabbage Chinese, (common),-

Kal Taol (Shanghal)—Ye Taol ... , 10 Cans Shoots, bunch,-Kan Shun ... Capliflower (Large),-Ye Tsoi Fa sach

(Modium), ... (Small). Carro's, -Kam Shun ... ... ib. 6 Celery Chinese,-Tong Kan Tsoi ,, Chillies, Dried,-Kon Lat Chin .. 25

Red,-Hung Fa Chiu ... 2 1\$ Green,-Ching Lat Chiu .. t Cufry Stuff, English,-Ka Li Chu Liu N 4 10 2 2 11 10 Cucumbers,-Ching Kwa... ...esch \$ Garlie -- Sun Tan ... ... Ib. 5 Ginger young,-Sun Tse Keung ... 7 Ginger, old,-Lo Kenng ... ... Horsersdish, Shanghal,-Lik Kan ... 29 Indian Corn,-Shuk Mai ... ... each 6

Lettuce,-Young Shang Taol ... Ib.

Water Chestnuts,-Ma Tal ... Ib. 8 Mandarin,—Kwai Lam Ma Tal ... .. 10 Mushrooms, Fresh, Shang Tao Ku lb. 48 Onions, Bombay, -Yeong Chung Tau Ib. 15 Onlone, Green,-Shang Chung Ib. 4. Onions, Shanghai,—Sheung-hoi Chung Tau

Paraley.-Kun Taol ... ... ... ... Potato, Sweet,-Faz Shu ... ... ... Japanese, -Yat Pun Shu Taal Ib. American,-Fa Ki Shu Tesi lb. Pumpkin,-Tung Kwa ... Ib. Radish.—Hang Lo Pak Tmi Rhubarb (Fresh).—Tai Wong ... ,, Shallots -- Kong Chong Tau Spinach,-Yin Tsol ... ... Tomatoes.-Fan Ke ...

Taros. -- Wu Tau ... Turnips, Ponti, (Long),-Lo Pak ., Veretable Marrow. - Tait Kwa... Water Cross,-Sal Young Tooler .. Lily.root,—Lin Ngau... ., Yama -Ta Shu see see see

### MR. BENEDICT'S LUMBAGO. Was Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink

Pilis. Why not let them Care yours?

The success of the right tonic in cases Almony at the rate of £1,800 a of lumbago is demonstrated in the month, with £8,500 counsel's fees and experience of Mr. J. C. Benedict of New "I began to have muscular pains

across my back about three years ago back felt as though I had been cut, with The decision of Justice Morschauser | a knife. I tired quickly and couldn't

before I had taken the remedy a week take long walks and enjoy every minute-Pills as a tonic."

For over thirty years Dr. Will ams Pink Pills for Pale People have been curing disorders arising from viciates bottle for \$1.50; 6 bottles for \$8/ . from

Szochven Rosd, Shangh i.

Btook Sirloin,-Ngan Lan ,, Sallock's Brains,—Ngan No per set .10

Hump, Salt-Ngan Kin .. 18

Feet,-Ngan Kank...each 10 \_\_Ngan Mei ... , 18 Liver,-Ngan Kon... lb. 15 Tripe (undressed), Ngau To Ib. 5

Calves' Head and Foot,-Ngau-teal-

Feet, "Chu Keuk ... ... lb. ... 15 Heart,-Chu Sam ... ... each 10 Kidneys,-Chn Ylu... each 10 Liver,-Chu Kon ... Ib. 33 . Leg.-Chu Pel... ... ... .. 30

Fat or Lard, -Chu Yatt ... 23 Tau-Keuk ... ... set 70 Heart.-Young Sam ... each 10 Kidneys.-Years Yiu each 12-Liver,-Young Kon ... Ib. 32

Suet, Beef,-Shang Ngan Yan ... . 19 Mutton,-Shang Yeung Yau .. 32 Yeal -- Ngao Teal Yok ... ... ... Sausages,-Ngra Teal Cheung20

in their discretion they shall think rifles, 14,000 aeroplanes, and 28,000 Barbel,-Ka Yu... engines. It has been a great and Bream,-Pin Yu... ... ... ... ... 14 highly creditable work, but its Canton Fresh Water Fish. £70 per share for each of the said on the continued retention of the Carp,-Li Yu New Shares be made as follows, control, which is not in the Cathab, -Oblk Yu

Treaty, though as a sauction it | Oodfish, Mun Yu ... ... ... 18

5. That the Directors issue to Share but consider that from that holders, holding shares less than point of view of material it may or not a multiple of three, a frac- completed in from one to two years. tional certificate in respect of each | We ought to know by this time how share less than three or in excess easily and rapidly any great industrial of a multiple of three and allot nation can adapt its machinery to who shall produce three such I am not accusing Germany of any Fractional Certificates on or before | aggressive intentions. I think that the whole country is utterly sick of

pay the first instalment in respect the word "war," and a very soldier in Germany to whom I have That after payment of the instal- spoken has vowed to me that he will ment, and pending payment of never fight again. But he told me the remaining instalment, Scrip the same tale at Verdun in 1916 and Certificates in such form as the went on fighting for two years. Perch,-Tan Lo Directors may determine be issued Anyhow, the sufferers pass away in respect of such New Shares from the scene and the nation with entitling the holders on payment its history, and traditions remains. of the remaining instalment, and Also with its generaphy, its Gesinnung ... We must merely look facts in the face and see shares respectively represented by armed, and powerful again, when That interest at the rate of 6 per air she collects industriously the Soles,-Tat Sha Yu ...

"BIG BERTHA"

friend, and all's well."

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THE MAH AS SCAPEGOAT.

Shanghai was quite right. In the who can talk of child raising as formation of character a child's sur- "drudg-ry" is no better woman than roundings count far more than all its our invaluable amah, who, with all environment for the plastic child, often rather overdone, so that she last fall who were caught by the That also would apply to some of the "spoils" the child, which becomes white mothers, who include in their selfish and inconsiderate through beranks, as the amahs do, ignorant and ing waited on hand and foot, and often immoral individuals. It is perhaps quite unable to help itself in common because the amaks as a class are so difficulties. Welhak that our women very "good to baby" that the out here escape so much of the mothers neglect their children, or do "drudgery" that is the lot of wives the very young, we do not recognize physical ministrations of the Amah any great difference, or, more precisely, with more "mental companionship" any serious inferiority of the average and personal guidance than they, as amah as compared with the low class a body, customarily give. They get mother, in the matter of "guiding so engrossed in "social" engagements £2,000 sterling has already been the development of the child's men- that they leave too much to the amah. tality." Most of our young are There is no possible higher mission failure of the appeal seems to misguided, even in homes regarded for woman than the training of the as of good class. Bernard Shaw has child, and there is no happier life to written very forcibly and very con- lead. But prior to the training

she has, of course; no right to expect than the amah does. At the last

from the heathen amah what is so moment a young mother picks up

note that the Shanghai ladies in her In averting that the influence of than the overworked mother at Home. heredity is very small compared with Presumably she would be able to that of environment during the more | teach it correct department at after plastic years, a woman lecturer at noon Bridge parties. The mother players, Ng Sze kwong, M. W. Lo, Harbour Master), Hon. Mr. E. D. C. prenatal influences, real though those ther faults (that can be duplicated are. But when she went on to libel among our own women) and with all the Chinese anah. emphasising her her ignorance. (counterbalanced to "ignorance and immorality." the some extent by the motherly instinct) lecturer was quite wrong. It would is a good servant likely to do less have been fair to say that the Amah harm to the infant than a had and does not provide the most suitable inefficient mother. Her devotion is United States on the "Alabama Maru" wincingly of this. Apparently the the child there should be training o lecturer was desirous of the earliest | the mother, and apparently our girls Christian training for all children, but get no more training in motherhood

audience did not agree with the lecturer. According to the China Press, a majority of those who spoke declared that the mother who had the drudgery phases of child-raising taken off her shoulders was free to contribute more to the mental and spiritual, development of her child

and these oral traditions are frequently as full of ignorance and superstition as any amah convention. A good Chinese amah, under the constant supervision of a wise and thoughtful mother, probably gives to the European child out East a far better start than it would ordinarily get at Home, and since that is a flat contradiction of the lecturer's main contention, we side with those who voted against her, although we mistrust their motives, Perhaps we should add, before dropping the subject, that the father of the child has not done all his duty (nor exercised all his privileges) when he has provided with food and clothest and shelter and service, and even tuition an entertainment. He owes to it, and to himself, much more personal association than is the custom. The main life business of both man and woman is the child they have brought into the world, not merely a duty but the purest and surest source of interest and pleasure. There is no drama more interesting than menta development, no dance more enjoyable than such family felicity as is, alas in these days considered old-fashioned and suburban. What is it Rabbie sang, something about the true pathos and sublime of human life being weans and wife Father-motherchild-there's your real Holy Trinity.

-LOCAL AND GENERAL-

A parcel of books for use of the troops has been received from Mr. . M. H. Nemazee.

Mr. H. Matheson, chief accountant of the Chartered Bank sails by and to thank them for the support the Admiral Line steamer "Wenat- they had given to his Company for chee" for America en route for Home where he will spend a holiday.

The total output of the Kailan Mining Administration's mines for for the week ending May 7, 1921, amounted to 86,741 tons and the sales during the period, to 79,341 tons.

Suffering from plague, a 2-year old boy who was yesterday removed to the Tung Wah hospital from No. infection have been taken.

L. W. Hartman, the European who recently caused great excitement on a "Star" ferry boat by jumping overboard in midstream, was yesterday "removed to the Government' Civil Hospital from the Macao steamer "Suian."

three fatal cases of small pox (one consideration. Instead of demolishimported), one fatal case of relapsing ing Morrison Hill for the purposes of fever and three cases of cerebro reclamations they would need to take spinal fever (one imported) were reported yesterday. All the cases were Chinese.

Japan" papers announce the death at the Atami Hotel, Atami, after a long illness, of Mr. J. B. Maxwell, for sixteen years a broker some convenient spot and allowing in Kobe, and previous to that time residents of the Colony, including the for sixteen years with Messrs. largely increased staff of the Toyo Cornes and Co., of Yokohama.

Government had vetoed the Macao barbour improvement scheme and demanded the nine million dollars saved from the revenues for the last ten years for that purpose has been officially denied and characterised as absolutely false.

the death of Mrs.-L.-R. Burkhardt, who was in fier esth year. Deceased had been alling for several months since about Christmas in fact—and the sad event was not been printed by the China Mail. altogether unexpected. Mrs. Burkhardt spent many years in Shang- invitation were:-

The Hongkong Chinese tennis Lieut. W. C. Hake, R.N. (Acting) W. Lock-wei. Yew Man-tsun and Choa Man-ping, left by the C.P.O.S. liner "Empress of Asia" to-day for Shanghai where they will represent the Colony against the Northern Settlement and probably play for China in the Olympiad against Japan and the Philippines.

Police at Seattle, have been returned to Japan. arriving on the "Africa! Maru" They paid an agent Yen. 1,200 each to get them into the United States, but one of the number was caught while swimming from the ship to shore, and the arrest of the others followed. One Japanese

subscribed towards his costs. astonished everyone. Archdeacon Wakeford declared that he has no plans until he has discussed the whole matter with his wife. He is, he says, still a priest and will remain a priest He had already been offered a vicarage. He is deeply touched by receiving two pounds ten shillings

"TAIYO MARU.

LARGE GATHERING

olving the housing question.

That the housing problem in Hongkong might he solved by a ship such as the "Taivo Mara," being anchored at some convenient spot, was the uggestion humorously put forward by the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe yesterday. The occasion was a tiffin given by President Asano aboard the K.K's. latest acquisition Taivo Marn." The weather in no way seemed to have affected the response to the invitation that had been issued, for well over 200 person ound accommodation in the magnificent dining saloon, which is one of the boasts of the vessel. After an excellent meal President Asano. speaking in Japanese, extended a cordial welcome to the visitors. For over thirty years he had been connect ed by business with people in Hongkong but he had never before had an opportunity of visiting the Colony. He had wanted to visit Hongkong very much, and just before the out

cumstances rendered the visit impossible. When the Government of Japan turned over to his Company this fine ship he felt that no better opportunity could offer for him to discharged. pay his long-intended visit to Hongkong, and he came on the ship. He had met so many Hongkong residents in Japan that he felt he wanted to meet them again in their own port so many years. He wanted to be peak for this ship a continuance of the support they had always accorded to the Company's ships. - (Applause.) Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe (Captain Super-

break of the war he was arranging to

do so, but when war broke out cir

at the President's table, said that somewhat to his surprise it had fallen to his lot to propose the toast of "Prosperity to the Toyo Kisen Kaisha. coupling with it the name allow him to thank President Asano and his Company for the splendid reception they had given them. Mr. Wolfe recalled the small beginnings of the Company and spoke of its development as not only remarkable such developments continued the question of harbour accommodation Four cases of plague (one fatal), would become a matter of very serious land to make more room for shipping, and he facetiously suggested that the assistance of the Colony, which had ance, by mooring this fine ship at Kisen Kaisha, to live in such comfortable quarters—but as he observed The report that the Lisbon that a friend interested in the Hongkong Hotel had his eye rivetted upon Arabs who wrote in " the him he had better say no more on that subject, but hope that " Taiyo-maru" (meaning Mighty Ocean") would have a very successful career on the Pacific and justify the hopes and expectations of

her new owners.--(Applause.) The ship was then inspected by the visitors who were full of praise for the various appointments. A full description of the vessel has already. Among those who accepted the Mrs. T. Petrie, Mr. A. C. Conrad, Mr.

Lord. Sir Acheson Kadoorie, Brig-gen. Macraughton, and Mrs. E. Cock, Mr. and Mrs. J.

Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brown,

CRUELTY TO CHICKENS:

A BÀD CASE.

CALLOUS COOLIE CONVICTED

Cruelty to chickens, which had

been unmercifully crowded inadequate crates for the convenience of the two coolies who were to earry them, was alleged against three Chinese who were charged before Magistrate Lindsell this morning. A European Sergeant said that he arrested two of the defendants, ordinary street coolies, at the "Star" the Ferry wharf where they were boarding the boat with two crates of chickens. He counted 175 chickens which had been so badly crowded in crates that the legs of some were protruding through the holes at the bottom of the baskets. Two chickens had been crushed to death and several more had been severely in-

> The owner said that he bought three crates of chickens at Western Market and employed the coolies to transport them to Kowloon. city. The coolies themselves transferred the chickens to two crates for convenience in carrying. As he was not present when this was done, be could not be held responsible for their

three weeks' hard labour. The other two defendants were

KILLED WHILE PLAYING

CHILD'S TERRIBLE DEATH.

While at play yesterday on the gangway between the kitchen and the living portion of the second floor of No. 6, Caroline Road, Wanchai, yesterday, an 8-year old Chinese girl fell, into the back yard and was killed intendent of Police), who was seated instantaneously.

A HILLSIDE SKELETON. The police yesterday removed to the Kowloon mortuary the skeleton of a Chinese child, who was found he should turn "tufei," and not care wrapped up in a piece of garment on what happened. 35. Peel Street, is not expected to of President Asano. Before doing so the hillside at the rear of the recover. All precautions to prevent he was sure the large gathering would Hokyuen village, Kowloon City. This is believed to be another case of dumping after death to save funeral expenses.

The Andaman Islands are best known to the public through the but most astonishing, adding that if penal settlements, which it is now proposed to close. A large proportion of the "inmates" have been graduated labour the convict was Toyo Kisen Kaisha might come to the finally released in from twenty to them apparently kindly, though twenty-five years. The number of a Housing Question of some import- convicts has decreased during the the peculiar fascination of introduced to the great circle of out extra clothes or any bedding.

in "The Sign of Four." century spoke of them as "black, with woolly hair, and in their countenances there is something quite frightful," and they were credited with "eating men alive." race. Another unattractive feature of the islands (there are over 200 of them) is that three fourths of the mammals are bats and rats.

and Mrs. E. F. de W. Abney. Leslie Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. A Lang and Miss Day, Mr. and George Grimble, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Karanjia, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Riggs, Wolfe, Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Mr. G. T. Mr. and Mrs. S. Grunsell, Mr. J. H. Edkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dyer, Mr. | Taggart, Mr. F. H. Crapnell, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wilton, Dr. F. Pierce Reid, Mr. K. E. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. Grone, M.D., Dr. Chas. Forsyth, M.D., R. Hunter, Mr. Wm. Russell, Mr. J. and Mrs. Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gardiner, Mr. T. S. Morrison, Mr. A. MoNicoll, Mr. W. L. Pattenden, Mr. and Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Herridge, Mr. J. H. Scott, Mr. E. G. Dingman, Mr. E. H. Ten Japanese, smuggled to the Consul and Mrs. M. Harrington, Mr. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hammes and and Mrs. E. V. M. R. de Sousa, Consul daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. B. and Mrs. Huneeus, Consul and Mrs. Silva-Netto, Mr. and Mrs. R. V., G. Burgy, Mr. J. C. Mognaschi, Burdin, Mr. J. R. Murray, Mr. Consul W. H. Gale, Vice-Consul Buckburough, Mr. H. Tsuda, Mr. S. Leighton Hope, Dr. Keyt, Mr. W. Yasuda, Mr. S. S. Kondoh, Mr. S. A. Dowley, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Krull, Komura, Mr. I. Kawaguchi, Mr. H. responsible for my detention changed supply the music. Mr. W. B. Walsh, Mr. C. T. Surridge, Togawa, Mr. C. Tsurutani, Mr. T. O. his word and demanded that Mr. Mr. K. M. Fetterly, Mr. Peter Tod, Kamow, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kobanashi, Shorrock should have the two men Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Neeson, Mr. and Mr. Y. Oshaka, Mr. Y. Yasuda, escorted to their homes and that when not do all they might for them. As at Home that they have no good caught on the Mexican border was Mrs. Burchard, Mr. P. D. Sutherland, Consul E. Suzuki, Dr. T. Kitano, Mr. letters in their own handwriting were phoned to the Governor and obtained Mr. J. H. Wallace, Mr. Percy Cox, and Mrs. A. M. L. Soares, Mr. W. B. received here he would set me at Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Percy, Mr. and Walker, Mr. W. J. G. Whiley, Mr. liberty to return to the Mission House Mrs. R. Sutherland, Mr. D. G. M. Th. Kring, Mr. T. E. Pearce, Mr. S. but will not guarantee to escort me but I am still detained in close custody. Bernard, Mr. E. F. Aucott. Mr. and Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lucas, safely out of the city. This it can be Mrs. T. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mr. Trevisa Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. plainly seen does not at all amount Alves, Mr. J. R. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Connell, Capt., Mrs. and Miss Chandler to an exchange of hostages, but kindly hurry up here and exchange W. H. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Stalker, and Miss Kellor, Mr. S. M. Churn, Mr. simply leaves me as a tool to be used Mr. G. H. Potts, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. J. C. Baretto, Mr. Allan M. Stark, on some other pretext against the Botelho, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Plummer, Mr. Thompson, Capt. Brennan, Mr. A. Governor. This from what I learn Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kent, Mr. W. H. H. Penn, Mr. Victor Vergara, Capt. is just what is intended, as the in-Armstrong, Mr. W. J. Carroll, Mr. and and Mrs. G. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. formation is conveyed to me in a Armstrong, Mr. W. J. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. G. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. iormation is conveyed to me in a can their full inclusion of an "extrality" article. Braga, Mr. O. R. Benson: Mr. and Mrs. and family, Mr. C. C. Scott. Mr. leave the city depends on the Governor A. H. Ferguson, Mr. Geo. Hogg, Mr. Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Packham | ceasing hostility. Thus my life now and Mrs. H. B. Bennett, Mrs. Boyd, and daughter, Mr. A. C. Botelho, Mr. hangs in the balance even in spite of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. C. Burnett, Mr. A. Scilingo, Mr. S. J. Johnson, Mr. the fact "that my brave wife had rarely obtainable from the pseudo- a few hints from her own mother, wards his expenses, which amount to H.A. Cartwright, hir, and Mrs. Epstein, Mr. Glover, Mr. E. accomplished an expensively quick. P.S. Lines note that my processory.

Line of them from her mother, them from her mother, the processory of them from her mother, the processory of them from her mother, the processory of the said of Almada Remedios.

Journey to U-kong (170 li) and tele- is imprisoned with me.

HELD BY BANDITS.

MISSIONARY AS HOSTAGE

AN EXTRAORDINARY STORY.

On May 6, the Rev. C. H. Stevens. of the CLM, at Fengsiangfu, Shensi, was captured by brigands. The folowing letter from Mr. Stevens himself to the N.-C. Daily News gives an amazing account of why he was taken and the circumstances in which he is

Sir.—Apropos of the recent articles | 25 per cent... and comments appearing in your paper on the question of "extrality," [extraterritoriality] my present personal experience may furnish a little solid food for reflection to those who agitate for the abolishing of the "extrality " privilege, -

For some time past troops from various quarters have been concentrating on this place with an idea of putting an end to the notorious kno-chien. Now they are within rifle shot of the

, few days ago, early one morning. a soldier came to the Mission House saying that his superior officer wished One of the coolies admitted respon- some refugee children changing sibility in the matter. The Magist- into summer garments that my wife. rate accordingly fined him \$25 or had been hard at work making. I excused myself from accompanying the man just then, and invited his officer to call on me.

peace. This turned out an absolute

THE OFFICER'S THREAT.

On my going with them to see their officer he told me quite bluntly that Chen Shu-fan had taken his old father, an ordinary civilian, from his home, also the brother of another officer, also a civilian, and had threatened their lives and that if that happened my life would pay forfeit, then

I was allowed to return to the Mission House and write letters to the Rev. A. G. Shorzock, B.A., Singan, into whose charge it was suggested the men were to be handed; also a letter in Chinese to the officer charge of the Governor's troops This completed, I was again sent for to the officer's quarters, and my wife accompanied me. My wife, far from practically free men within the limits strong, went off at once with only the of the islands. After ten years of clothes she had on, not even returning home, and accompanied by two faithgiven a ticket-of-leave and became ful Chinese Christians walked several self-supporting. He could farm; he miles to the camp of Governor Chen's could marry or send for his family- commanding officer, risking their lives Subject to good behaviour, he was to cross the lines. The officer received have not seen my wife since, and late past twenty years from something at night one of the men returned with over to something under 10,000. But a letter from the commander saving the we must appeal to the Governor. Andamans has always lain in its re- Then my wife and the other escort pulsive type of aborigines, effectively evidently went towards Singan with British readers by Sir Conan Doyle have not been allowed to return to the Even the Mission House to fetch anything,

though I asked to be allowed to return for an hour to select a few things. TO SPITE THE GOVERNOR. Our own servants are allowed to They are bring me food and Christian helpers which formerly adorned their unismall in stature, and are probably and friends are allowed to come and forms. the remnants of a debased negro see me, though I have no privacy. A Christian helper who has been with us many years has stood by me and sleeps in the same room, where also

sleep usually two soldiers armed. Apparently in case I should attempt Hongkong Cricket Ground on to escape although I have given my Friday next, June 3. There will word as a Christian and an Englishman be 700 men on parade, drawn from that I shall not run away. It is only the following units: Royal Navy, right to add that the soldiers treat Royal Artillery, Royal Engineers, me quite decently, and particularly 2/Wilts. Regt., Hongkong Volunteer those I have previously helped me- Defence Corps, H. K. S. Royal Garridically.

Not the least accusation has been brought against me and when re a.m. and H. E. the Governor will monstrated with they tell me plainly make an inspection. A Royal Salute that this, is the only way of their by the Hongkong Singapore being able to spite the Governor and Battalion, R. G. A. and after the their one idea is to get him into inspection has been completed the

A FURTHER DESIGN. After my wife had left, the officer

SPECIAL CABLE.

STRAITS CIVIL SERVICES.

TEMPORARY ALLOWANCES REDUCED,

[China Mail Special.]

SINGAPORE, May 25. The Straits Government announces that from June 1; all temporary allowances payable to members of the Civil Services will be reduced by

IS THIS TRUE?

CANTON TIMES" SAYS CHIN-ESE FORBIDDEN TO TRANS-LATE ARTICLES FROM "CHINA MAIL."

To-day's Conton Times, says :-- A report in the vertiacular press states. that according to those who come from Hongkong, the Secretary for Chinese Affairs called the editors of the various Chinese newspapers in Hongkong together for an interview to see me. Just at that moment my in which the Chinese editors wife and myself were busy seeing to were ordered not to translate any articles from the English newspapers commenting on the officials of the Colony. The vernacular press believe that the unpopularity of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs among the intelligent British who do not approve of the issuance of the recent Thereupon several more armed proclamations regarding the Governsoldiers came in and tried to force ment at Canton, is affording the me to go with them. On my demand- English newspapers in the Colony to ing to know the reason, they said comment unfavourably on him. This it was desired to get me to negotiate is the reason accounted for by the vernacular press for the strange attitude taken by the Secretary for Chinese Affairs forbidding the translation of such articles appearing in Chinese papers.

ARE LONDON POLICEMEN CALLED "BOBBIES!"

What we call "slang" is morally nothing more than the efforts of the uneducated, or those who are rapid in their speech, to get their tongues around the longer and proper names for the objects to which they are referring. As a general rule, slang originates in the lower orders of society, though a number of terms which were originally colloquialisms have been adopted into the best usage and are now used by writers and speakers of distinction. Among these might be mentioned "pluck" (which was butchers' slang for the heart of an ox). " dun " (derived from the name of an expert collector of debts). "fan" (short for "fanatic") and the like.

The reference to London policemenas "Bobbies," however, has its origin. in another source. This is an abbreviation, not of a longer word, but of a name—that of Sir Robert Peel, who reorganized the force during the latter part of the nineteenth century. It is for the same reason that the word peeler " is also applied to the British policemen, while the American cop" is merely a shortening of copper," referring to the buttons

Command Orders state that a parade to celebrate the birthday of son Artillery, and 2/22nd Punjabis. The parade will take place at nine

trouble. Civilians, who know the whole of the troops on parade will. record of our 25 years of service here, fire a few-de joie and give the royal recognize this as a most outrageous salute. Three cheers for His Majesty, procedure and scorn those responsible will be given and the men on parade will then march past His Excellency the Governor to their respective dismissal points. band of the Wiltshire Regiment will

> his consent to spare the two men. This information has arrived here Would those agitators for the abolition of the "extrality."-privilege place with me and then see what they will pay. Only foreigners accepted, not even English-speaking Chinese returned students with frock coat and in any treaty count for anything.

# ODDS AND ENDS.

MAINLY SCISSORS LOOT.

### More Airskip Marvels.

R39, originally, designed for the Admiralty, but destined to be commercial airship, was inspected by pressmen at the Inchinnan works, near Glasgow, recently. Here are a few facts about her :- " She can lift is 65 miles per hour. Range of as China's themy. action over 5,000 miles. Five power The carpets are a tasteful light blue, pons under which China quails. Crew sleep in hammooks along the India could be reached in six days, to become a ludicrous fallacy, can Passengers will be able to alight before the vessel actually touches ground. They will pass through a trandoor in their car to a platform on the mooring mast and so to earth. Vousual Legal Point.

An interesting legal point has risen in connection with the death of Lord Herbert Vane-Tempest, who was killed in the recent railway accident in Wales. Lord Herbert Vane-Tempest in his will bequeathed £400 to his valet, who, however, was killed in the same accident, and the point is whether the master or the servant died first, or whether death was simultaneous.—If-the valet-died-first the money was never his, so his heirs cannot benefit as they would if he could be proved to have died last. What would happen if it was shown that they died simultaneously is not stated, although in law, in the case of a man and his wife, simultaneous death in an accident is not admitted, the woman, as the weaker, being considered as having died first. In any case it is hardly probable that the heirs of the valet will not be given the benefit of the doubt. Rain of Death.

The world is progressing. A new poison, so deadly that three drops on the skin of a human being are to the principle of equal opportuni- when Capt Barrett (133 not out) and sufficient to cause death, is the latest | ties for the commerce and industry of | Leach (10 not out) continued the discovery of the United States Army all nations." Chemical Warfare Service. Experts are quoted as saying that if the after the renewal of the alliance in was promise of the wicket being dried liquid were projected from nozzles 1905, Japan established a protectup, but at the opening stage the They didn't fret what they were on the underside on an aeroplane it torate over the Hermit Kingdom and advantage was quite clearly the would kill everything in the five years later, she formally an bowlers and they did not lose much path of the machine. One aero, nexed it. plane, it is added, could distribute. Many Chinese are fearful that so the sun out of sight, it was distinctly But though they found it soft and two tons of the liquid over an area seven miles long by 100ft, wide, and this would be sufficient to kill every man in the area. The liquid is easily the Lansing Ishii notes is centered on Hongkong's fielding too, perhaps for manufactured, and an output of several thousand tons a day could, it is said, quickly be reached, - If there are any inhabitants on Mars who' keep an eye on a sister world, they must be greatly interested in the endeavours of mankind towards selfextinction,

## "Evans of Broke."

The complimentary reference in seem to be valid. the finding of the Marine Court which investigated the loss of the negotiations and her sovereignty was to misunderstanding between Franks "Hong Moh." to Captain E. R. Evans ignored. cal's to mind a story by Mr. "Puck" of Tit Bits. Here it is :- In the navy door" was a fight against "special this piece of good luck long, de Rome they call him "Evans of Broke," the interests" and unequal opportunities, catching him nicely. He was man who, by prodigious heroism, But the thinking Chinese to-day dismissed with only 14 runs added to saved over a hundred passengers on believe that China's perils may be his previous day's 10. Wainwright a steamer wrecked in the Chinese effaced, that the weapons which joined Barrett but was immediately sees. All his life Captain E. R. Evans would inflict wrongs on China and afterwards dismissed for "duck," seems to have been performing deeds her people may be wrested from the being run out by his partner of heroism. While commanding the nation that could use them. The the result of a smart return and sank two German destroyers and tions: torpedoed a third-one of the greatest naval feats of the war. In 1916 ant. Captain Evans married a Norwegian lady; and his proposal was typical of awards made by the peace treaty. the man. His wife was the acknowledged beauty of her social circle, "I ling her alliance with Japan. mean to marry a man of action." she said to him. "Why don't you?" of Nations unless the covenant he asked "No one has asked--" were married.

Rouble Note Trick. One of our readers who had occasion to change some money into tion which is to revise the League H. B. Ollerdessen, b Webster ...... 64 local notes is feeling rather aggric e. Convenant, China is to be represented S. J. Deeks, l.b.w. Reed ............ 1 ed, reports the North China Di cly by, the man who so notably has Capt. E. L. M. Barrett, c Sayer, gave them a casual glance and con- left it to the world to realise which J A. Quayle, c Bagnall, b Reed... 28 them in his pocket. Feeling thesty, me these weapons against China. a little later on, he bought and did an unusual thing ir , that he a better man to represent her at the W. N. Hansell, c Reed, b Davies... paid for it in cash. When the recently changed notes great surprise, right in the michle of the universities of England, France his \$10 bills he found Kerensky Note (wort) cents), which had be instead of a \$10 m Me. So that he Commission. was properly had. . With the Races coming on it is we A to mention this as some chevalic e d'industrie might on the pari-mutuel a sort of trick, these

# CHINESE AFFAIRS.

DR. WANG'S POINTS.

THE THRUE "ENEMIES."

In his recent interview with Reuter's Vancouver correspondent. Dr. Wang Chung-hui, China's representative to the Geneva conference which is to revise the League of Nations over 63 tons. Her maximum speed Covenant, does not designate Japan

But if study his statements furcars and one passanger car. Pullman ther it is sed that he designates as style provision for 50 passengers, "enemies" to China the three wea-

Using these weapons that nation keel. They have a gramophone, can cause the so-called "open door" wrest from China her vast resources and utilise her limitless man power as an instrument of aggrandisement and the other as a means of assuring conquest.

enemies" of China: 1. Article 21 of the League of Na-

tions Covenant. 2. The Angio-Japanese Alliance.

3. The Lausing-Ishii notes. In article 21 in the Covenant of the League of Nations, the authors propounded the doctrine of regional of eppression and aggression. Japan | On the whole, Hongkong's bowling | If to-day's wicket is more favourable

renewal of the alliance. Article III his accuracy. of the treaty says "Japan, possessing. In the evening, the Hongkong paramount political, military and players were guests at an entertaineconomic interests in Korea, Great ment given at the Lyceum Theatre. Britain recognises the right of Japan to take 'such measures—in Korea as she may deem proper, provided the night, the wicket was not so had not been resumed at tiffin time. that such measures are not contrary favourable to the batsmen yesterday

It is well-known that three months A s ong wind was blowing and there

long as things remain as they are, colder when Davies and Reed started history will repeat itself.

four points.

to be self-contradictory: B. "Special interest" is a vague the 400 mark. However, the

contradictory to the "Open Door" C. The principle upon which these special interests" were built, that

of geographical propinquity, des hot D. China was not a party to the had a very narrow escape owing

John Hay's espousal of the "open slips." However, Leach did not jurvive

1. A revision of the League Coven-

2. President Harding's stand on 3. Great Britain's delay in renew

America will not join the League revised. Britain's decision to renew "Righto," said Evans. And they the alliance with Japan is delayed. Britain wants America's friendship innings closed with 391, only 83 and support and America desires runs above the previous day's score nothing but peace with Britain.

At the drawing up of the conven-

a drink It would be hard for China to find he pulled Geneva deliberations. Dr. Wang was out, to his educated at Yale and also studied in a 100 rouble and Germany. He was in the Mina perhaps 10 istry of Justice at Peking and was a en given bim member of the Law Codification

Captain James White, son of the defender of Ladysmith, has been Amilar in size and style sentenced to two years' at Edinburgh se Chinese Government for making seditions speeches at

### CRICKET INTERPORT.

SHANGHAI SCORES 301.

HONGKONG ALL OUT SO.

As reported by our Shanghai Correspondent, the interport cricket match epened at Shanghai on Tuesday. a record crowd present.

later he was bowled out by the Hongkong team made a very compiled 62 to his credit. Captain painful regularity. The innings was Barrett, Quayle, Muriel and Leach closed for the low score of 80 runs, followed and did such good 40 of which were compiled by one work that when stumps were pair. Davies with 8, not out, was drawn, Shanghai's score read 309 for the highest contributor of the rest of the loss of only four wickets. Of the Hongkong team. There were this figure, Capt. Barrett contributed four "ducks" in the innings. a brilliant 133, not out. He hit four fours and one six in five successive G.R. Sayer, c Muriel, b O'Hara... 15 balls, a performance which was well F. J. de Rome, b O'Hara..... applanded. Of the other batsmen, Lt. I. B. Franks, run out.......... 25 Deeks contributed 9 runs, Quayle 28 Capt. C. Olliver, c Ollerdessen b and Muriel 49. Leach, who was O'Hara ...... 0

During the tea interval, H. B. M. Consul-General unveiled the war F. H. Farthing, b O'Hara..... memorial at the cricket club. Tuesday's scores were:

Ollerdessen, b Webster---- 62 Barrett, not out------133 Muriel Lb.w. Sayer...... 49 Leach, not out----- 10 Allison ---- 15 5 29 

Bowling Analysis.

understanding without realising the Capi. P. H. Davies... 28 I 103 0 Leach, when the batsmen were a and the world. This would allow Webster ...... 12 2 59 1 play at 430 pm. with 27 runs an enemy of China to pursue a policy Sayer ...... 4 0 39 1 on the board and no wickets down.

has special aspirations in the Orient was good, but the Shanghai hatting there is a chance for a drawn game. and this article recognises these was remarkably strong, and gave But with the rain continuing all very few chances. Hongkong's yesterday evening in desultory No thinking Chinese can set his fielding was excellent. Every man fashion, very little improvement on mind at ease so long as the Anglo- played carefully and kept the scores | the wicket is anticipated. Japanese Alliance exists. Recent as low as possible. Rumjahn in Hongkong.—2nd Innings. indications point to the probable particular distinguished himself by G.R. Sayer, not out.....

YESTERDAY'S PLAY.

batting in Shanghai's first innings time in making the most of it. With bowling for Hongkong, and their !! With not a care their joy to jar, Adverse criticism directed towards first few overs were rather weak. They had no luck in Paradisethe same reason, was not up to the A. The terms in the notes appear previous day's standard, and Shang- W. hai looked 131 & taking the score beyond

term but it implies special privileges bowling soon improved and gave no end of trouble. "Before Capt. She croaked because Mark didn't get Barrett had added five runs to his score, he gave Sayer and easy chance at cover point. Hongkong's captain was not ready and let the ball drop. A few minutes later Leach (Hongkong's wicket-keeper) and the

Broke" during the war, he rammed Chinese have hopes in three direct by Bagnall. When Barrett next gave a chance at cover point, Sayer, made amends for his previous mistake with a beautiful one-hand catch. Capt. Barrett made the trip back to the pavilion with 165 runs to his credit, including five sixes and nineteen fours, a very creditable per formance. With all the star batsmen is out of the way now, Hongkong's bowlers played bayoc with the tail end, and at 1 p.m., Shanghai's

> of 309 for four wickets. SHANGHAL-1ST INNINGS.

stock nation, if any of all nations, would H. E. Muriel, I.b.w. Sayer ...... 49 D. W. Leach, c de Rome, b Reed 24 F. L. Wainwright, run out

Dr. O'Hara, b Davies ...... H. W. Allison, c Stapleton, b

Webster ...... 12 2 59

(Davies bowled two wides). Hongkong's innings was opened immediately lifter tiffin. They were expected to do something after their

leather-hunt, with Sayer and de Rome facing the lowlers. The batting opened moderately, but just as the batsmen began to get set. O'Hara' captured de Rome's wicket with a lovely balk in the first over. This was very disappointing Owing to the Empire Day celebra to the Hongkong men. Nevertheless, tions, a start was not made until Franks went out with determination. after lunch. Shanghai won the toss He and Sayer made a fine stand, but and elected to bat first. There was their scoring was slow, and 40 was telegraphed on the score, board after Decks and Ollerdessen opened the half an hour's play. O'Hara bowled innings with a perfect batsman's brilliantly, capturing wicket after wicket, and soon were hitting out wicket until he had seven for 26 to merrily until Ollerdessens split a his credit. After the Sayer-Franks finger gave trouble. A little partnership was broken, the rest of with a beautifully poor showing and were got out with

Hongkong.—Ist Innings.

partnering Capt. Barrett when stumps A. A. Rumjahn, b O'Hara ...... were drawn, scored 10, not out. Mr. R. E. A. Webster, b O'Hara..... "Extras" was responsible for 18 C. I. Stapleton, b O'Hara...... Major H. G. Bagnall, c O'Hara, b 

E. B. Reed, I.b.w., Allison ....... Capt. P. H. Davies, not out-Extras....... 14

Total...... 80 Bowling Analysis. O'Hara ..... 13.4 5 24

Hongkong followed on for the Total......309 second innings, and Sayer and de Rome again faced O'Hara and Allison, and played gingerly until the O. M. R. W. bowlers were relieved by Bhoora and

F. J. de Rome, not out .....

Total, no wickets----- 27

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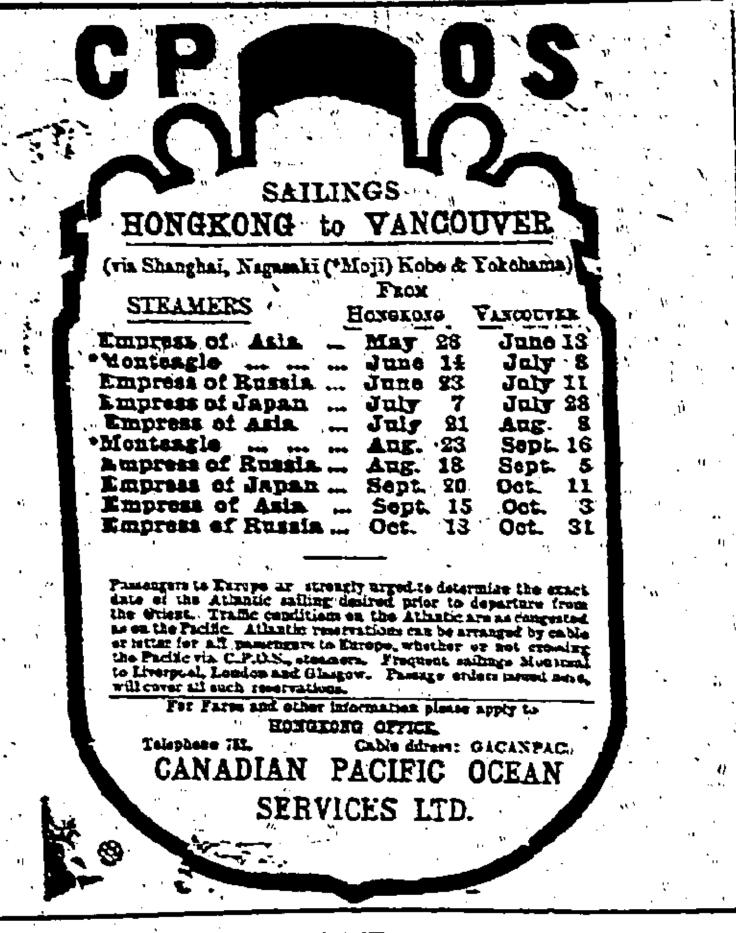
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[Reuter's Service to the China Mail.]

### - NATIONAL ECONOMY.

Loxpon, May 25th. An important step towards national economy has been taken by the Government, which has ordered the reduction of expenditure on Supply Services for the next financial year from £603,000,000 to 2400,000,000.

A circular issued by the Treasury points out: that ordinary revenue next year is not likely to exceed £950,000,000 and that at least £465,000,000 must be provided to meet Debt Charges, leaving 2483,000,000 for Supply Services. All Government Departments have been instructed to scrutinise expenditure very

The Treasury circular points out that. the only alternatives to reduction in expenditure are fresh borrowing, which would mean renewed inflation and depression of the pound sterling, or increased taxation, which would certainly and seriously hamper the recovery of British industry and commerce and would be most vehemently opposed by the House of Commons and the country. The reduction in taxation and in the State's indebtedness, as rapidly as possible, is required in order to maintain and stimulate industry and commerce and secure full and regular employment. This could only be achieved by a continuous reduction in expenditure during the next few

#### COLONEL HARVEY'S SPEECH

New York, May 25th.
The Democrats and the pro-League-ofNations Republicans are dissatisfied with. Colonel Harvey's speech in London on May 19th

Mr. Flood has introduced a resolution in the House of Representatives, asking whether the speech was officially same-

The Democrats especially object to Colonel Harvey's statement that the United States did not enter the war from altruistic motives. The Pro-League Republicans have sent Lord Robert Cecil a resolution assuring

him that the sentiment of America still

### GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

favours the League.

LONDON, May 25th. .There was an astonishing episode in the third round of the Amateur Golf Championship, when the United States cham-pion Evans was beaten by his compatriot

The veteran John Ball is going strong, and has won his match, 3/2. The American player "Bobby" Jones, after narrowly escaping defeat in the second round owing to nervousness, beat the "international" Robert Harris, 6,5. LONDON, May 25th.

(Liverpool) beat the American player "Bobby" Jones, 6/5. The Englishman Beddard beat Tolley,

In the fourth round A. J. Graham

#### John Ball beat the American player Douglas on the 19th hole. SILESIAN IMPROGLIO.

LONDON, May 25th. M. Briand's "blue sky" declaration in the French Chamber is haifed with undisguised satisfaction in Great Britain. The French Premier is congratulated upon the tenour of his speech, particularly for the removal of the impression that the Upper Silesian problem is likely to afford grounds for serious Allied differences and for the apparent desire to trust that Germany will be as good as its word in undertaking not to aggravate the situation in the disputed territory. The moderation of his attitude towards Germany is regarded as one of the most hopeful signs from France since the reparations troubles began. Confidence is also derived from M. Briand's impassioned defence of Anglo-French unity, which he described as the keystone of his policy. pointing out that no people in these times

can remain isolated. Paris, May 22nd (delayed). At his Government's request the British Ambassador has invited the German Government to cease boycotting Upper Silesia, and to refrain from sending funds to volunteers, as these proceedings pre-vent the re-establishment of order.

Oppeln reports state that, after crossing the plebiscite demarcation, big German forces, which had come from the interior of Germany and were led by German officers, attacked the Polish troops, near Zogolin, this morning. A big battle followed.—Havas.

As evidence of the easing of the international situation, Reuter's Paris correspondent reports that, after consulting the Commander-in-Chief on the Rhine, the French Government has decided to send home married men of the 1919 class, who were recently mobilised in connection with reparation demands.

Paris, May 25th. The newspapers generally comment favourably on M. Briand's speech, and praise his firmness in avoiding a con-The Echo de Paris states that M. Briand.

and dissolve the Polish bands.

# ANGLO-JAPANESE ALLIANCE.

has requested Poland to close her frontier

LONDON, May 25 .-The Morning Post, in a leader dealing with the question of the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance, says that the proposal of Mr. Hughes appears to be the only right solution of the problem, and points out that relations between China and Japan must be considered together with the relations of Japan to the western Powers. If these are amicably settled upon a durable foundation, the peace of the Pacific would be secured. The journal suggests a conference of representatives of the British Empire the United States, France, China and Japan, and hopes that all parties will accept the principle of the popen door "and of the strict maintenance of the integrity of

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... CALRO, MAY 25th. telephones between Cairo and Alexandria have been cut. There is great nervousness in Cairo. Shope are closed, and streets are patrolled by the police

ALEXANDRIA, May 25th. It is officially stated that 56 persons

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LONDON, May 25th. The Glasgow dock strike has collapsed, a mass meeting of the men to-day deciding to rooms work.

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A GAIN FOR INTERNATIONAL

A notable event in the British business world of New York took place in January last, when a British Empire Chamber of Commerce in the United States of America was inaugurated, which will form another link in the chain of British Chambers that have been established throughout the world within the last few years. We have received a copy of a pamphlet issued by the new organization in which are set forth its objects. These are to facilitate and encourage commerce and cultivate reciprocal interests in and promote comity between the United States of America and the United Kingdom of Great Britain Ireland, Commonwealths, Unions, & li-governing dependencies, Crown Colonies, "Empire of India" and other

Though the Chamber was formally inaugurated in January it was not until March that the General Committee of Organization was appointed, when immediate application was made to the Board of Trade for the Charter in April. Since then the Chamber has been engaged in planning activities and preparing for establishment as a working organbeen officially From h23 approved. The registered office will LA ROCHELLE be in London and the executive offices in New York; regional Boards. or Councils will be established, with centres of local administration in the principal cities of the United States. itself to be a very live body. The machinery of trade now existent,

them energetically, constructively very may be obtained. and judicially. "Being national in its operation and international in its relations, it should put into action those agencies and media that are of real service in where they will be examined on the promoting trade beween the United 25th May, 1921, at 10 AK. by States and the family of British Mossrs Goddard & Douglas. Commonwealths

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It is interesting to note that upon the Committee of Organization, representatives of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., Ltd., and Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., find a place. This Journal extends a welcome to the latest commercial: publications and extends its congratulations to the new Chamber on its inauguration. Chamber of Commerce -British Journal.

# HARBIN INCIDENTS.

OUTRAGE ON FRENCH CITIZEN.

BULLYING CHINESE POLICE \_OFFICERS.

Harbin, May 11.—The following incident has created considerable alarm here. Yesterday near the Branches and bridge joining the New Town with Modiagoo, a Chinese policeman at Nagasaki, Karatan, Waltamatan, Moji, tempted to arrest a Chinese soldier Kure, Kobe, Osaka, Tsuruga, Haguya, response to the soldier's call Otara, Vladivostock, Paking, Tientain, soldiers rushed to his rescue when a detachment of policemen appeared on the scene. The soldiers shot a police sergeant and injured two of his men. A regular fight then ensued between the soldiers and policemen which continued for some time and terribly scared the unfortunate inhabitants, whose houses were used as shelters by the combatants. Considerable comment has also been caused by another episode in which the Chinese police were involved. While - walking on the Boishot Prospect, Captain Panneau. the French representative on the Inter-Allied Technical Board, was roughly pushed by a member of a police patrol whom the Captain had accidentally jostied. Others of the policemen also threat-(It should be noted that

Chinese usually march their police patrols and squads of soldiers on the sidewalk instead of the street). Captain Panneau made complaint to the Doyen and the following day the pairol and officer in charge made public apology to the Captain.

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### SANITARY BOARD.

OUR INFANTILE MORTALITY.

THE MOSQUITO PEST. ...

Our infantile" mortality and the prevalence of the mosquitoes were the principal subjects which occupied make any lengthy comment but the the attention of the members of the lady mentioned in the cable seemed Sanitary Board at the fortnightly to have been speaking rather at meeting of the Board held in the random. He intended to send Dr. Boardroom, Post Office Building Pearse's answers to the medical

yesterday afternoon. " The Hon. Mr. T. L. Perkins (D.P. W.) presided, and there were present Mr. C. M. W. Reynolds (Secretary). After the usual letters from the Government had been tabled, Dr. Koch, pursuant to notice, asked the

following questions: With reference to the following cablegram published by Reuter :--At a meeting of the National Council on Venereal Diseases, to

which the Mission to the Far East presented its report, Mrs. Neville Rolf declared that she was never so ashamed of being an Englishwoman as she was Hongkong, where the registered

Board:

other authorised source, or whether it is known how they were obtained?

the latest figures available?

(iii.) If such rate has not been calculated what are the difficulties which would tend to invalidate such calculation "?

(i.) Vital Statistics in the Colony type are officially the affair of the Medical Officer of Health. information as to infant mortality was asked from me Mrs. Neville Rolf and I do not know how she obtained figures.

(ii.) No Infantile Mortality Rate has been calculated.

(iii.) The Infantile Mortality Rate in a given locality is the ratio of the deaths of infants funder 1 year of age in that place during one year to the number of children born in that place during the same period.

Hongkong we do not know: How many children are born here in any given year, nor-(2) How many children who die here are brought to the Colony in bad health and therefore cannot calculate a corrected Death Rate.

All deaths are registered in order that burial may take place, but it is not the custom of the majority

Such births as are registered here are chiefly those of males, e.g., of 400 births registered during the first quarter of 1921, only 90 are of lemales=22.5 per cent, while 1,456 births, attended by registered midwives during the first 4 months of this year, show a percentage of 85.7

Dr. Koch said he did not want to

papers in England. The Chairman said it seemed a good thing that the question had been Dr. W. W. Pearse (M.O.H.), Dr. W. asked, in view of the fact that the V. M. Koch, Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Mr. statement was apparently not based S. W. Tso, Mr. Chau Shou-son and on inquiries from official sources and was apparently inaccurate.

THE MOSQUITO PEST.

Reporting on the prevalence of Workshop, Pawnshop, Inspector, the report was not quite Repulse Bay Chief, Stanley Chief, completed, but he was in a position Spoilt Child, Spynie, Harlequin, to give the Board some information. Beggar King, Tweedledum, Mysric On Crown Lands, actual breeding Dahlia, Lighting, Shooting Star, places had been found; e.g., in four Pantile, Louza, Mountain Stream, nullahs; in tanks left by contractors Donspot, Cranby, Redbird, (since removed); in swamps, partiinfant death rate was eight cularly one in King's Park, Kowloon. Bolshevic, Tuckshop, Forest Child hundred higher than the birth A very large number of potential Siamese Cit, Jawleyford, Tiddleyrate, despite British occupation breeding places had been found on winks, Miserrimus Doleful, Quo Crown Land : in bamboo fences; in Vadia, Spoilt Child, Hongkong will the Head of the Sanitary Depart a few untrained nullahs; ment state for the information of the numerous places where the surface Savernake. Flywheel, channels on the upper levels, on Beggar King, Lighting, St. An "(i.) Whether these figures were the Peak, especially—drained over thony, Leighton, Neston. supplied from an official or the hillside, allowing pools to form.

On private land no fewer-than 21 actual breeding places had been found in Hongkong, in spite of the heavy (ii) Whether the Infantile Mortality rains which, no doubt, had washed rate of the Colony has been away many deposits of mosquito calculated and if so what are larvae. In Kowloon, Dr. Woodman reported that 90 per cent. of the" private premises showed signs of mosquito breeding. Fortunately, none of the specimens were-anopheles but culicines, the domestic type Dr. W. W. Pearse, Medical Officer Broadly, speaking, domestic mos quitoes were all culicines, and anopheles were the silvan or rura

> quitoes would not travel more than a lafter providing for depreciation and quarter of a mile but it had been all contingencies (including transfer to found, recently, by experiments in special repairs and renewals reserve Netherlands India, that they would £50,000 and to equalisation of travel many miles in search of blood. dividend fund £30,000), there remains In Java, mosquitoes were caught as la balance in respect of the revenue they came out of a pool, by means of account for the year ending Decemnets, thousands were coloured arti- ber 31, 1920, of £134,689 6s. 4d. ficially and released. They were re- It is proposed to pay the balance cognised 7,000 metres distant from the of place where they were caught. That must alter ideas held heretofore as to dividend on deferred shares of £210s mosquito prevention. .: It was not per share, and to carry forward to sufficient to cut undergrowth near at hand, although it would be of some use since it would deprive deducted from all dividend warrants mosquitoes of shelter from the sun by day. Without that projection they would die. He would like to remind the public of the mosquito's hibernating Cold weather killed them but some hibernated philer invourable conditions and lived right through

Means were available to get rid o mosquitoes from houses y Pastilles could be supplied, composed of to any who wished for them and aths per thousand of the population sulphur, saltpetre and charcost, by instructions were supplied with the around and are therefore not means of which dark curboards, pastilles. rable with Infant Mortality cellars, and other dark places Could The remainder of the business

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in addition two others, namely carly in lane. "Vision " by Rheinberger and a Fifty eminent Russian artists are practice of shoe-turning under the Vision by Rheinberger and a line company which has circumstances mentioned is common remarkable study in tone colour embarked on a world, tour commin the United States. From the time The Garden of Iram." by an inentiting its per-grinations at Peking men began to wear shoes—or the

be the vocalist will sing "Jerusalem (Mendelssohn and in place of her month. When their Hongkong season now sorrow" (out of Brahms' famous "Requiem") which it is believed has not been heard here before.

### NEXT CYMRHANA.

THE ENTRIES.

Charing Cross, Siamese Cat, Dandy Rootkovskaia, Malinovskaia, Gorswinks. Miserrimus Doleful, Quo Valia, Crugloff, Elin, Petroff and Messra Daroff and Shtern. naker Flywheel, Harlequin, Beggar King, Lighting, Shooting Star, Dunspot (Aspirin), September Morn, St. Anthony, By Jingo, Tweedledum, King Harry, Leighton, Neston, Mystic

Dahlia, Redbird, Strome. Gymkhana Stakes: Bolshevic, Pawnshop, Siamese Cat. Halton, Scamperdale, Jawleyford, Quo Vadis, Hongkong Chief, Repulse Bay Chief, Parran, Spynie, Harlequin, Beggar King, Speckled Mouse.

Polo Scurry: -Silva. Talisman, Jarrocks, Chow, Punch, Ginger, After Dark, Wee Mouse, Miserrimus Doleful, Moonshine, Mouse, Consternation, Brown Paper, Fighting Tight,

Redcoat, Notwithstanding. Five Furlongs Race: Merrysand, Tucksaop. mosquitoes and the survey which is Charing Cross, Hatton, Mouldy. being made of possible breeding places | Coal King, Moorland King, Scamof these pests Dr. Pearse said that perdale, Tiddleywinks, Miserrimus owing to the illness of the Senior Doleful, Ardelan, By Jingo, Strome, 11 Mile Handicap: Carpenter

in Chief, Kandy Chief, The Ameer,

## COMPANY REPORT.

Indo-China steam naviga TION CO., LTD.

Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co. td. General Managers of the Indohina Steam "Navigation" Company state that, after taking into account the payment of interim dividends made in October 1920 and in February last, also the sum of £8,099 2s. 3d. It used to be thought that most brought forward from 1919, and.

next year's account the sum ruling on 25th inst.

ing of the Company will be held at the offices of the General Managers

# RUSSIAN OPERA.

AN EXCELLENT COMPANY.

COMING TO HONGKONG.

which the Rossian Light Opers and He will play some of the pieces Operette Company are to commence included in his last programme and in Houskong at the Theatre Royal

Mrs. Bower-Smith who will again: In Tlentsin and when the company reached Spanghai it played there for a to Singapore, Java, Sumatra, on to Singapore, Java, Su Manua and the United States.

provements and it is hoped this The Count of Luxembourg," Love," the popular opera comique by Leher; "The Vestal of the Fire God," the famous oprette from Indian life by the Russian composer Valentinoff; "The Marriage Market," the risk a Fury getting into his shoes. popular oprette from Canadian life by the American composer Jacobi; "Sylvia," "The Geisha," "Don

Class Handicap. Once Round: The principal artistes are the necessarily foiled. Merrysand, Bolshevic, Birdshop, Misses Gloria, Charskaia, Gouseva, nece Child. Porest Child, Coal King, kair, Lauskaia, Balinskaia and Chief. Ardelan, Spoilt Child, Saver- Mr. A. Olshantzki, the Ballet-Master commenced at popular prices.

# SUPERSTITIONS.

TURNING THE SHOE.

If during the night you should hear an owl booting, or a dog howling, or any other binings sound; religible Gorgeous dressing, attractive suspect that witches or phosts are down. That will counteract the evil portent and drive away all chosts and

Inquiry has shown that this salutary

American composer, R.S. Stoughton; where three performances were given. same thing under another name, sandals—the shoe acquired a rather important part in supernatural lore from the magic of association," previous Handel selection. "Ye who comes to an end the artists will move appears from the part it plays in ancient superstitions, myths and sacred rites. As a part of a man's included in the company's well appared it took on more or less of the chosen repertoire of light operas and man's individuality. We still have Since he became Organist of this Operettas are: The Merry Widow," the expression to "stand in another Cathedral Mr. Denman Fuller has the popular operate by the celebrated man's shoes" as a metaphor for been instrumental in raising approx- composer Lehar; including Mon- taking another man's place. Pliny, imately \$20,000 for the Organ Fund, tenegrin, and kolo dances, also the great Roman naturalist, (\$3,000 of it in the past lew months); electric swings over the audience; used to spit into his shoes before he only about \$100 is now needed to. The Dollar Princess," the popular put them on in order to drive out any clear off the cost of the recent im- opera from American life by Leo Fall; evil spirit which might be lurking there, attempting to "hoodoo" him Recital will make good this deficit. Lebar's liamous operatie; Gypsy by standing in his place. Shoes were never brought into the sanctuary of Alecto, the "unresting one" of the avenging Furies. Nobody wanted to

right side up beside the bed and the the commercial treaty with Germany tions, so as to be able to use the wharf The following are the entries for Cezar, an opera comique which dog howls, and the owl hoots, and has not yet been drafted, but the Gymkhana to be held on 4th received the first prize in the 1875 evil influences are abroad in the German merchants in Shanghai are Paris operatte competition, and a night, it is evident that the said shoes Half Mile Race for Subs: Carpen- wonderful tit-bit, described as "a offer altogether too many facilities very active and their former com- has appointed a Chinese representater, Workshop, Miserrimus Doleful, most lovely and piquant operetta" for the evil spirits to enter them—of mercial standing is gradually being tive at Shanghai in connection with Nightmare (Meadow Moute). Glad entitled. The Mysteries of a standing in your shoes as they would restored. Although the Allied nather opening of a branch office, and Eye (East), Shooting Star, Givenchy, Harem. The scenery and stage have in Pliny's had be not exorcised tions have made a rule that all German temporary accommodation has been By Jingo, Frampton, Peradventure, effects are selected with a fine disthem. But turn the shoes upside exports must pay an export duty secured at No. 51 Kinngse Road. down and the evil spirits are amounting to one-tenth of their value, The former compradore of the Bank

Scamperdale, Jawleyford, Tiddley- Messra. Darbif, Elinoff, Krechetoff, Mr. L. Cherpnino and the Managers are arriving each week. Vadis, Stanley Chief, Repulse Bay Alekseeff. The orchestral leader is Bookings at Moutrie's have already managers of German export firms have treaty until the question of reperations.

# DAIRY FARM NEWS.

RECEIVED

consignment of Smoked Fish direct from the SCOTTISH FISHERIES

> Fillets. Haddocks Kippers.

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE & COLD STORAGE Co., Ltd.

#### GERMAN TRADE IN SHANGHAI.

ACTIVITY AMONG THE OLD FIRMS.

the quantity of indigo, nails and other is assisting in arrangements for the merchandise arriving in Shanghai is resumption of business, but this

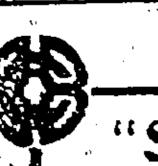
returned to Shanghai, among them has been determined.

the managers of Siemsens and Melchers, while other well known companies are now represented. They are endeavouring to resume business. with the assistance of their old compradores. The Pootung wharf of Melchers & Co. is under the control of the Ministry of Communications and is at present leased by a Japanese Further interesting information firm. The lease expires in August or with reference to the activity of September next and a German re-German merchants in Shanghai is presentative of Mesers. Melchets, accompanied by a Chinese, has left for given in an article in the "Sinteen-Peking in the hope of securing the Now when your shoes are lying poo," According to this journal, lease from the Ministry of Communicafor German vessels.

> The Board of Directors Tof the very large. Substantial quantities cannot be done until the commercial treaty has been signed. It is learned -Most of the men who were formerly that the Waichaipou will not sign the



THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1921.	THE CHINA MA	BANKS.	BAT	K8
NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND June 1.—R.F. Dencation.  S.—I.C.S.N. Fookseng.  7.—Nanyo Y. K. Cheribon Maru.	PANKS.	TYONGKONG & SHANGHAI	THE BUILDING TOTAL	HE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA,& CHINA.
8—B.F. Tangua. 8—E.&A. Eastern. 12—B.F. Mantor.		PAID-UP CAPITAL\$15,000,000	BEAD OFFICE:	INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTES
ST.—Nadyo Y. K. Macassar Matter	(AN AMERICAN BANK)	RESERVE FUNDS: Sterling £ 2,500,000 Silver \$31,500,000	Anthorised Capital	HEAD OFFICE: LONDON.  AID OF CAPITAL ER, NOR, 000  MEETE FUND 13 600,000
July 1.—R. F. Holenus.  A—P. & O. Kalyan.  11.—B. F. Teiresias.	CAPITAL: U.S. \$ 4.000,000  BURPLUS & UNDIVIDED PROPERS: U.S. \$ 1.489,000	PROPRIETORS	Reserve Fund I,100,000 R  RANKERS: The Rank of England.	PROPERTORS 23,000,000
SWATOW.  Aug 2-P & O Khyber.  16-P & O. Somali.  Sant 12-P & O. Sardinia.	HEAD OFFICE.  BRANCE.	COURT OF DIRECTORS:  G. T. M. Edkins, Esq.,—Chairman.  G. M. Dodwell, Esq.,—Deputy Chairman.	The London Joint City & Midland Eank, Ltd.:  RRANOHES:	FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General anking business transacted; CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and
27.—I.C.S.N. Handson.  29.—O. S. K. Kaijo Maru.  31.—C. N. Changchow.  31.—D. L. Haiching.	WAST TRANSPORT	D. C. M. Bernard, Esq., E. V. D. Patt. Esq.  A. S. Gubbay, Esq., W. L. Pattenden, Esq.  Hon, Mr. P. H.  Holyonk, H. P. White, Esq.	Bombay Hangtong Kanh Lampur Mangoon F. Calcumb Havrah Madras Shanghal Colombo Kandy New York Singapore Of	XID DEPOSITS received for 1 years abouter periods at rates which will be noted on application.
June 2-12 S. K. South Maru.  June 2-12 S. K. South Maru.  VANCOUVER.	SHANGHAI.	CHIEF MANAGER:  Ken. Mr. A. G. STEPHEN.	HONGEDES BRANCE.  Ryary description of Banking and	A. H. FERGUSON.
June 26 — C.P.O.S. Empress of Asia.  Aug. 18.—C.P.O.S. Empress of Russia.  28.—C.P.O.S. Monteagle.	OANTON, HANKOW, MILES	Masager Hongkong—A. H. BARLOW, Esq. Acting Masager Shanghai—G. H. STITT, Esq.	INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on The Relance and on Fixed Deposits	THE CHINA SPECIE BANK
May 27.—D. L. Haihong. 28.—0.S.K. Kaije Maru. Heiching.	CHANGSHA, PEKING, SINGAPORE.  D. M. BIGGAR.	WINTERSTEE & PARE'S BANK, LAN.	at rates that may be ascertained on application.  C. L. BANDES.  Magager.	EEAD OFFICE:
June 2.—O. S. R. Soshu Maru.  5.—D. L. Hailoong.  16.—O. S. K. Alabama Maru.  16.—O. S. K. Alabama Maru.  11.—A. L. Eldridge.	. Manager.	received for one year or shorter periods in Local Currency and Sterling on terms which	7 Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, April 25, 1921.	St. George's Building, Hongkong Chairman of board of directors Mr. Wong Shiu Ham.
FOOCHOW.  FOOCHOW.  July 6.—R.F. Tyndareus.  9.—A. L. Keystone State.  9.—A. L. Keystone State.	DIMDIEC ITCHED TO THE TRAVE COMPANY	Will be quoted on application.  Hongkong, February 26, 1921.	THE BANK OF EAST ASIA,	Chief ManagerMr. L. S. Holum Asst. ManagerMr. K. T. Wong longkong Manager Mr. L. P. ALLEN
June 3.—D. L. Hailoong.  June 3.—D. L. Hailoong.  Aug. 3.—R. F., Protesilaus.  13.—A. L. Reystone State.  13.—A. L. Trion.	PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANI,	THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG	LIMITED.	Foreign exchange and general banking
SHANGHAI.  Sept. 14 — R. F. Talthybius.  Sept. 14 — R. F. Talthybius.  Oct. 5.— R. F. Tyndarens.  Placer.  Placer.	NIGHT AND DAY TIME TABLE. WEEK DAYS.	AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR- PORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.	No. 2, Queen's Road Octral, However, Established 1919.  Parrette Capitals	Current, Savings, and Fixed deposits car interests at rates of \$2, 42 and \$2 per annum respectively.
SAN FRANCISCO. "  StL. T. Innspreck.  Shantung. May 27.—T. K. K. Taiyo Maru.  Waishing.	Verze Cuticura Heale 7.00 a.m. to 2.00 a.m. overy 15 minutes	PER CENT. per annum.  For the Honorous & Syanghan	DIRECTORS:— Mr. Poor Wal Ting, Chairman	L. S. HOLUM, Chief Manager. Hongkong, October 2, 1920.
June 2.—C. N.  Sunning.  Foul Lecat.  Suiyang.  June 4.—J. P. L.  Saleier.  10.—T. K. K.  Siberia Maru.  10.—S. & D.  West Carmonia.	"For nearly three years I suffered 12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. 16 from a hiemished skim. My face was 5.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. 16	BANKING CORPORATION,  A. G. STEPHEN,  Chief Manager.	Mr. Chaw Shon Son. Mr. Kan Ting Pan Mr. Li Koon Chun. Mr. Mok Ching Kent Mr. Fung Ping Shan. Mr. Wong Yan York. Mr. P. K. Kwok. Mr. Chan Ching Shek.	BANQUE DE L'INDOCHINE. (FRENCH BANK.)
6.—P. & O. Delta.  6.—P. & O. Delta.  11.—J.C.J.L. Tibodas.  21.—T. K. K. Tenyo Maru.  25.—C. M. Nanking.  Inly 1.—T. K. K. Kores Maru.	was ashamed to go out on the street.  It inched night and day, and it made  me feel depressed and uncomfortable.  NIGHT CARS  8.50 p.m., 9 p.m., 9.20 p.m.,  9.36 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. every 30 minutes	Hongkong May 14, 1916.  BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE	Chief Manager, Mr. Kan Tong Po. Ann. Manager, Mr. Li The Pong	HEAD OFFICE:
TIENTSIN.  May 28.—LC.S.N. Cheongshing:  Aug. 9.—C. M. Rile.  13.—C. M. Rile.  16.—T. K. K. Shinyo Maru.  30.—T. K. K. Persia Maru.  Aug. 9.—C. M. China.	ment advertised. I thought I would give them a trial with the result that I have a clear akin and lovely complex-	DE CHINE. (FRENCH BANK)	LONDON SEW YORK BEANGHAI SAN FRANCISCO TOXOBAMA	Subscribed Capital _ Frs. 72,000,000 00. PAID UP CAPITAL Frs. 63,400 000 00. RESERVE FUNDs Frs. 69,567,203.5_ ERANOHES:
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PUKOW.  June 18N. Y. K. Awa Maru.  (Via The Cape.)  June 18N. Y. K. Awa Maru.  (Via Japan, Honolulu, San Francisco,  San Pedro, Salino Cruz, Balbao.	Coticura Soap shaves without muy.  NIGHT CAPS as on Wook days.	ONE THIRD OF THE CLPITAL.  HEAD OFFICE:	Interest allowed on Current Deposit Account at the rate of Two per cent, per annum on Savings Account Four per cent, per annum, and on Fixed	IN-FRANCE: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris : Credit Lyonnais.
June 2.—O. S. K. Soshu Marv.  June 10.—T. K. K. Rakuyo Maru.  July 11.—T. K. K. Choyo Maru.	THE WITER SUPPLY.  Company's Office, Alexandra Buildings, Des Vour Road Central.  Season and punch tickets available for all	BELANCHES: Antwerp Hongkong Shanghai	Por I months at the rate of 3% per source.  For 6 months at the rate of 4% per annum.  For 12 months at the rate of 5% per annum.  For 12 months at the rate of 5% per annum.	Banque de Paris et des Paya-Bas; Credit Industriel et Commercial; Société Générale. IN LUNDON: The National Pro-
KEELUNG.	on the 1st May, 1921 — stated in the Company's time tables, but no	Batavia London Singapore Bordeaux Lyon Swatow	Chief Wranklat+	vincial & Union, Bank of England Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Credit Lyonnais.
May 29.—O. S. K. Kaijo Maru.  (Via Panama.)  June 1.—S. & D. Loretta.  1.—B. F. Knight Companion.  2.—B. L. Winyab.	s satisfies to the same reasons	Haiphong New York Vladivostoc	(TAIWAN GINKO.)	Interest allowed on Current Accounts
June 1LC.S.N. Loksang.  5C. N. Kaifong.  June 6B. F. City of Shanghai.  15D. L. M. S. Dollar.	Tytam Byevant 11 It.  9 in Below overflow  17 tan Intermediate 14 ft.  17 in. Below overflow  17 in. Below overflow  17 in. Below overflow  18 in. Selow overflow  19 in. Below overflow  19 in. Below overflow  10 in. Below overflow  10 in. Below overflow  10 in. Below overflow	Hankow Pekin Yokohama Hanoi Pnom-Penh Yumnaniu Saigon	Capital ScheenbedYen 50,000,000	and Fixed Deposits according to ar- rangement.  Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
SAIGON.  SAIGON.  July 7.—B. F. Ocean Mouarch.  18.—R. L. City of Madras.  July 7.—B. F. Ocean Mouarch.  13.—B. F. City of Madras.  13.—B. F. City of Mouarch.	Wong Nel Chung. 34 ft. 30 ft. 6 in. Below everflow  11 to Below overflow  Policy overflow  Tolor overflow  Tolor overflow	BANKERS	Capital (Paid-up) Reserve Fands	Y. MARSOT. Acting Manager Hongkong, Nov. I, 1920.
June 1.—O. S. Glymont. Aug. 2.—B. F. Helenus.	Tytam Byevenh List 121.55 Tytam Intermediate 121.55 Tytam Intermediate 121.55 Tytam Intermediate 121.55 Tytam Intermediate 121.55	In FRANCE: Société Générale Per favoriser le Développement : Commerce et de l'Industrie		MER MERCHANTS
SINGAPORE.  June 1.—0. S. K. Kishu Maru.  25.—C. M. Nile.  DURBAN AND CAPETOWN.	Tylem Intermediate	In LONDON: London Joins City Midland Bank, Ltd.	FORMOSA Girar Kagi Karenko Keciung, Makung, Nanto, Pinan Shinchiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takow, Tamani,	HEAD OFFICE: Alexandra Buildings, Chater Road.
July 22 -C. M. Chins.  BANGKOK.  BANGKOK.  DURBAN AND/CAPETOWIT.  (VIA SISCAPORE, BUENOS AIRES, RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS AND MAURITIUS). June 14.—O. S. K. Canada Mare.	Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions and decimals H. S. B. C. T. L. selling rate	In SAN FRANCISCO: Crock National Bank. Correspondents in the Chief Co	CHINA. Shanghai, Hankow, Kinkiang, Amoy, Foothow, Swatow, Canton.  CVUHUPS Bangkok, Hongkong, Singapore,	General Banking and Exchange busi- ness transacted.  Loans granted on approved accurities.
May 29.—LC.S.N. Mingsang.  31.—C. N. Changchow.  EUROPEAN PORTS.	Openingtion	mercial Centres of the World	Bombay, Lendon, New York.	Deposits received at rates which may be accortained on application.  The Bank also conducts a Favings
June 1 -0. S. K. "Kishu Maru.  June 13L. T. Innsbruck.	Constant supply in all districts during April of both 1920 and 1921.  KOWLOOK WATER WORKS LEVEL.  Canton Insurance \$409 n.	Interest on Current Accounts a	I Lendon County W summater and I am Consucreial The Eank has Correspondents in the Consucreial and Centres in the European Continent, Ramia, Fanchuria, and Centres in the European Continent, Ramia, Philippine	(Velal Maranes )
MANILA.  MARSEILLES.  MARSEILLES.  May 31.—M. M. Andre Lebon.	Kowleon Gravita   17 ft. 7 in. 16 ft. 2 in.  Morton Insurance \$265 58.  Union Insurance \$265 in.  Yangtasa Insurance T20 b.  Tolles is eller and partials of ellions.  The Resterns T20 b.	Every description of Banking a Exchange business transacted.	Interest allowed on Current Accounts, and Fixed Deposits at rates which will be quoted on application.	BANK OF CANTUN
May 27.—LC.S N. Loongsang June 13.—C. M. Nanking.  SANDAKAN.  June 10.—N. Y. K. Atsuta Maru.	Ecotion Gravitation   1945   255.50   China Fire Insurance \$128 b	Special facilities for French	HONGKONG BRANCH:	HEAD OFFICE
June 6I.C.S.N. Hinsang.  12P & O. Plassy.  13B. F. Mackson.  17G. L. Glenogle.	millions and decimals of gallons during the Surrenge.  month of April.  1990. 1991.  Douglases \$63 b	Manager. Hongkong, April 9, 1921.	Hongkong, September 1, 1920.	HONGKONG.
23.—B. F. Tyndareus. 24.—U.S.K. Siam Maru. 25.—P. & O. Delta.	Ones contains the last state of the last state o	THE INDUSTRIAL AT		General Banking Business transacted.  CURRENT ACCOUNTS.
Juco 2.—Nanyo Y.K. S'rang Maru.  19.—B. F. Mentor.  12.—J.C.J.L. Tjikini. 20.—B. F. Leomedon. 23.—P. & O. " Syria.	Public Works Department.  T. L. Parkins.  REFIREMENT.  REFIREMENT.	Head Office t & But Vent Read, Control.	Mandate of the Republic of China of	INTEREST ON FIXED DEPOSITS.
20.—A L Glymont.  21.—Nanyo Y.E. Bornes Maru.  Aug. 6.—P. & O. Kalyan.  16.—B. F. Teiresias.  19.—P. & O. Kashmir.	EXCHANGE.  Malabon Engine \$225 m.  Malabon Engine \$65 m.  Minuse		Authorised Capital \$60,000,000:0	n Lor 12 Hours 2% ber ammer
CALCUITA.  Sept 2.—P. & O. Ehyber.  16.—P. & U. Somali.  Oct. 11.—B. F. Pyrrhus.	Hougkong, May, 26, 1921.  Railan Mining Adm 101/- 5  Langkata 5  Shanghai Loans Comb. T13  Shal Explorations	n. Inquiry on our SPECIAL SERV.	ICE Reserve Funds 7,796.023.0	LOOK POONG SHAN, Chief Manager.
(VIA RANGOOS).  LIVERPOOL.  May 25.—LC.S.N. Namsanz.  Nagato Maro,  June 1.—B. F. Hector.  Provedes	Bank, Wire 3/5-1 Trough Mines 23/- On demand, 2/5-8 Ural Cospiens 21/3	b. Houghous, July 9, 1811.		Hongkong, May 24, 1921,
June 2—B. I. Arratoon Apcar.  6.—N. Y. K. Malaces Maru.  15.—B. I. Tanda.  70.—B. F. Enryades.  17.—B. F. Oania.  10.—B. F. Yangtze.	Credits, 4 months sight 2/7 g  Documentary 4 months sight 2/7-4  H. & K. Wharts \$28  H. & W. Dock \$300 b. 209/10 s	MAATSUHAPPIG.	and Sub-branches all over China and Correspondents in Japan, New York	BANK, LTD.
BOMBAY AND COLOMBO.  HAMBURG.  June 1.—0. S. K. Peking Marn.  June 6.—H.E.A.L. Alcor.	On demand, 570 On demand, 637 Credits, 4 months sight, 637 LANDS, Horses & Buildings.  Control Estates 143	PARTITION TRADING SOCIETY.	San Francisco, Singapore and Manie London Bankers: — The Nation	EFFANCISHED 1886
19.—N.Y.K. Tatsuno Maru.  19.—P. & O. Dunera.  Aug. 6.—H.E.A.L. Brielle. Sept. 4.—H.E.A.L. Radja. Oct. 3.—H.E.A.L. Timanoek	Credits, 60 days sight as 51% Hongkong Hotels as \$1% Hongkong lands \$10% Hongkong lands \$10% b. 10%	b. Anthorized Capital F. 100,000,000 £8,33 b. Paid up Capital F. 80,000,000 £6,66 ta. Beaute Fund. F. 17,353,284 £1,44	16,606 England, Ltd. The Guaranty Trust Company	of Hear Orms - YOKOHAKA
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June 15.—A. O. Taiyuan.  21.—N. Y. K. Tango Maru.  24.—C. & A. Victoria.  25.—E. & A. Eastern.  25.—E. & A. Maru.  Nicko Maru.  with the prospect of having to	nted On demand, 106 n. Shanghai Cotton T13	Bombey Padang Soerskari Calcuits Palembang Cheribon Pekalongan Tebing T	(Solo) Terms on application.  (Deli) Every description of Bank	DAIRES (DALEY) RIO DE JANEIRO FERURISE (MUEDES) BASOUS HAMEURG BAY FRANCISCO
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TWO ADMIRALS DEAD.

CRIMEAN HERO WHO FOUGHT IN CHINESE WAR.

LONDON, May 26.

The deaths are announced of Admiral Sir Arthur Wilson and Admiral Sir James Bruce.

Admiral Sir Arthur Knyvet Wilson, V.C., O.M., G.C.B., was First Sea Lord of the Admiralty from 1909 to 1912 when he retired. He served in the Crimean War, 1854, and the Chinese War, 1865. Admiral Sir James Andrew Thomas Bruce, K.C.M.G., was second in Command of the China Station from 1900 to 1901.

## ULSTER ELECTIONS.

COUNTING OF THE VOTES BEGUN.

LONDON, May 26. Counting the votes in the Ulster elections has begun but the extra work entailed by the proportional representation system will delay declaration of "most of the results until the week-end. The first member elected was Mr. Moles, member of the House of Commons, for South Belfast where he secured a clear quota. Indications are that other three Unionists will be returned.

### NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.

VESSELS DUE.

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12.—J.O.J.L. FROM LONDON, May 28.-G. L. Glengyle. 30.-P. & O. Plassy. June 6 -P. & O. 10.—G. L. Glenavy. 12.—N. Y. K. Yokobama Marn. 23.—N. Y. K. 와.—P. & O. July 4-P. & C. !8.--P. & O. Kashmir. Aug. 1—P. & O. Khyber. 15.—P. & O. Somali. 🥆 Sept. 12.—P & O. Sardinia, 28.—P.·& O. Oct. 10.-P. & O. Karmala.

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### INWARD MAILS.

Fram THURSDAY, MAY 26. Nagata Mara. \_Iye Mare Japan and Shanghai Feshimi Mare SATURDAY, MAY 23.

MONDAY, MAY 30. EUROPE via Sucz (Letters and Newspapers London 21st & 28 h April) .....

## OUTWARD MAILS.

THURSDAY, MAY 26. \*Straits, \*Bangkok, \*Calcutta, \*Aden and Sematra Maru..... 4 p.m. Pamshui and Wuchow .....

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\*Hoihow and Baiphong

Shanghai, \*North China and Japan

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\*Shanghai and \*North China

\*Sha FRIDAY, MAY 27. Shanghai and Vorth China ...... \*Swatow. \*Shanghai and \*North China...... Hangsang...... 9 a.m. Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L.
Marques, South Africa, India via
Dhanushkodi, Egypt & EUROPE via
MARSEILLES, Registration 8.45 a.m. Letters 9:30 a.m. ...... Straits. Bengkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India, via Indo Maru FRANCISCO. Registration 9.45 a.m.

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THURSDAY. JUNE 2.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3.

SATURDAY. JUNE 4.

MONDAY, JUNE, 6.

Straits and Bangkok ....

ings between Canton and Hongkong have been cleared up and everything | Swatow, Amoy and Keelung ..... Baije Maru ...... 9 a.m. is serene again, perhaps His Ex- in. 27 years of age, who objected to cellency Governor Stubbs would not the case being tried before a jury of object if we put a point-blank question to him: "Did your Excellency's with the Cassell Coal Agreement?" take a broader view." \*Swatow, \*Shanghai and \*North China...... Waishing ....... 8 s.m. impertinence, nor do we doubt his Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ...... Haiching ......11 a.m. assurance recently given to the WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1. Kwangtung Government. If Gov-Hollow and Haiphong ...... 8 a.m. ernor Stubbs does not feel inclined to

way of putting things.

answer, we will drop the matter [The news item referred to is as follows :- London, May 13.-According to reports, Britain has acquired mining rights in the twenty-three districts in Kwangtung after the establishment of the new Consortium. It is surmised that the Powers concerned may take steps sooner or

later to get Britain to transfer the concessions to the Consortium.

ENTERTAINE ESTS.

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seven wickets received a rousing

ovation. Sayer and De Rome opened

Hongkong's second innings, scoring

27. Further play was impossible

CANTON AND HONGKONG

THE CASSELL COAL AFFAIR.

CANTON PAPER ASKS OUR GOVERNOR

A QUESTION.

While reading over the exchanges

last night we came across an item in

the North China Daily Mail which

shocked us out of our contentment

over the assurances recently given

to the Kwangtung Government by H. E. Governor Stubbs that his visit

Canton affairs, says the Canton Times

in its leading article of to-day's issue.

Acquisitions," stated that Britain has

acquired mining rights in the twentythree districts in Kwangtung after the

establishment of the new Consortium.
The information is dated London;

Now it happens that the Cassell greement mentions just twenty three

districts of Kwangtung province by

name, followed by an "etc." The

only possible inference we could draw

from this, is that the report which

emanated from London refers to the

same mining rights included in the

After having received authoritative

information of Governor Stubbs'

official assurances to the government

of Kwangtung, we feel reluctant about

bringing the matter to the attention

of the public agam. It may be a mere coincidence that this report came

from London at the very time, or

soon after, His Excellency was enter-

tained in Peking by Hsu Shih-chang.

Some one connected with the Cassell

interest may have given out the re-

port. It may have been made by

an irresponsible party who has no

official position whatsoever. Our

first inclination was to throw the

clipping into the editorial waste

basket and think nothing more of it.

But after reading the item over and over again, we came to the conclusion

that it would do no harm to publish

it, if for no other reason than to have

We cannot believe the Cassell

interests are so powerful with the

Hongkong Government that they can

induce the Governor of the Colony to

make a special trip to Peking on their

behalf. But the item we refer to

states "Britain has acquired mining

rights.....and it is surmised that

the Powers concerned may take steps

sooner or later to get Britain to

transfer the concessions to the Con-

sortium." We thought Major Cassell

represented a British Syndicate only;

and the British Governments's in-

terest in the matter was the same as

it would be in any other transac-

tion between a British firm

and the Chinese Government.

We never suspected that Major Cassell

represented and -acted for the

British Government. Perhaps we

stress upon this point for

not lay too

statement may give this latter im-

pression because of its apparent

abbreviation and the usual newspaper

terms of the Cassell Agreement.

Hay 13.

This item sub-headed\_" Britain's

owing to the steady downpour.

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